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In this volume whenever a place is mentioned and no state is named, it is to be understood that the place is in Massachusetts.

Other states are indicated by their abbreviations, but in each family these abbreviations after being once used are not continually repeated.

In England, Ireland and the English possessions Old Style and New Style were used in reckoning time prior to January 1, 1752. Before that year New Year's Day was March 25, and the first month was March, second April, third May, fourth June, fifth July, sixth August, seventh September, eighth October, ninth November, tenth December, eleventh January, and twelfth February.

By act of Parliament January 1, 1752, was called New Year's Day, and the next day after September 2, 1752, was called September 14, 1752, thus omitting in that month and year eleven days from the calendar in order to correct an error which had grown up under the Julian method of computing time.

Prior to the year 1752, English records and colonial records were sometimes kept in Old Style, sometimes in New Style and sometimes in both styles. The interval between January 1 and March 24, inclusive, in the period before 1752 is exceedingly important, and, if possible, should be double dated, as for example, January 10, 1645/6.

BABSON GENEALOGY REVISED

By GEORGE WALTER CHAMBERLAIN, M.S.

The surname Babson, Bapson, or Batson is earliest found in Salem in the Massachusetts Bay Colony. It was brought hither by Isabella Babson, a widow, and her son, James Babson.

The late John James Babson, the historian of Gloucester, visited England in 1871, and searched for the origin of his family in the southwestern part of England, especially in the vicinity of Gloucester and Bristol. His family name was entirely unknown in these localities, though tradition pointed to Bristol as the place from which his ancestors had come.

There is also a tradition that the husband of Isabella Babson died on their voyage to New England, but no documentary evidence of this fact has been found.

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PREFACE

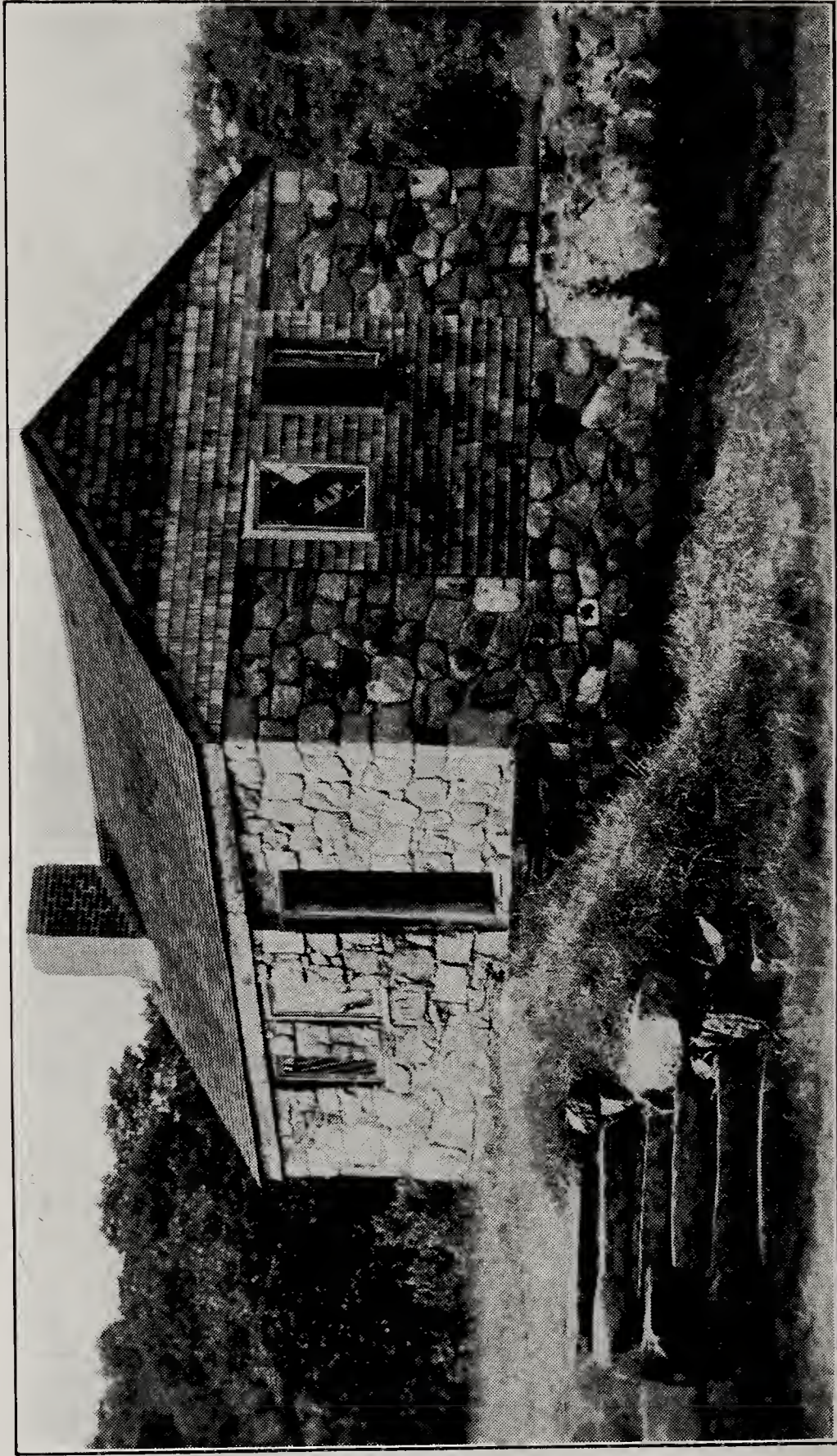
Personally I know little about genealogy. It is a technical study dependent on the most careful research. I therefore take no credit for this book but state that it was compiled by George Walter Chamberlain, whom I engaged for the purpose. As a framework, he used the small book published by my father, Nathaniel Babson, entitled "The Gorham Family," issued in 1904, and his typewritten notes published in 1915, also a book on the Babsons prepared by my cousin, Robert B. Alling, and my aunt, Miss Susan Babson, which was published by Fred K. Babson of Riverside, Illinois. I also acknowledge my indebtedness to the late Sydney Perley who did some original work on the Babson genealogy but died before it was completed. My work has consisted merely in bringing all of these authorities together. Probably the women members of the family will be provoked with me for not carrying on the descendants of the girls. I, however, leave this task to some of the female members of the family, of which there are a plenty!

Today not much attention is given to genealogy. People are more interested in studies of stocks, bonds, real estate and other more tangible assets. The time is coming, nevertheless, when these things over which we are now fighting will be publicly owned. Then our only assets will be ourselves and our children. When this time comes, a great interest will develop in biology, genetics, and similar studies. When children become the only assets a person can have, then serious attention will be given to marriage, conception and the training of boys and girls. Then will develop a great interest in genealogy. Leaders, teachers, parents and young people will then study genealogy records instead of business statistics. It is to anticipate this time that I am now preparing these records of the Babson family.

In conclusion, let me acknowledge my indebtedness to my parents, grandparents, and other ancestors. Nine-tenths of my good qualities *as well as my bad qualities* I owe to them. The commandment which Moses gave, "Honor thy father and thy mother," was based upon the most basic laws of life. In fact, the whole subject of inheritance is today where the subject of electricity was when Franklin flew his kite. We marvel at the radio, the airplane and other inventions; but all of them are as nothing compared with the soul and brain of a little child. Sometime a saturation point in connection with the raising and manufacturing of *things* will be reached. We can wear only so much and eat only so much, but there will never come a saturation point in the development of our children physically, mentally and spiritually. The one group that will never go out of business are parents and teachers.

ROGER W. BABSON.

July 30, 1934.
Babson Park, Mass.



BUILT 1658

COOPERAGE SHOOP OF JAMES BABSON, FIRST MALE BABSON IN AMERICA

Located at Cape Ann, Mass.

FIRST GENERATION

ISABELLA¹ BABSON is earliest mentioned on the Town Records of Salem under the date, Sept. 25, 1637, as follows: "Isable Babson desires admittance to be an inhabitant." (Salem Town Records 1634-1659, p. 58). The inference is that she had then recently arrived in Salem.

At a Court held in Salem, Sept. 24, 1639, John Woodbury, Peter Palfred (Palfrey), and John Balch entered a suit against *Elizabeth Babson*. (*Essex County Court Records and Files*, 1:12). At a Court held at Salem, June 29, 1641, Isabell Babson brought a suit against John White and Samuel Colburne and testified in the case.

In colonial time the Christian name Isabella and Elizabeth were used interchangeably for one and the same person.

Some time before 1644, she removed from Salem to Gloucester and land was granted to her in Gloucester in that year. The record of her purchase of Ashley's lot in Gloucester harbor is without a date but it was probably made before the grants were made by the town in 1644.

"Isabell Babson, midwife, aged about 80 years deposed that she lived near the house of Thomas Prince and told of what William Brown said to Goody Prince, as she told her about the ministers. Mother Babson told her to put it out of her mind as all knew what manner of man Browne was, and upon Goody Prince growing worse she sent for Grace Duch. Sworn to Mar. 30, 1657." (*Essex County Court Records*, 2:38). Mary Millett, Sr., testified in mother Babson's house about what William Browne said, Apr. 2, 1657. (*Ibid.* 2:37).

This was a Court case in which William Brown was bound in £40 to answer the next court for his misdemeanor towards Goodwife Prince, dated Jan. 19, 1656.

Estate of Mrs. Isabel Babson of Gloucester.

Administration on the estate of Isabell Babson, widow, granted June 25, 1661, to her son, James Babson. The inventory was taken Apr. 9, 1661, by Samuel Delaber and Philip Stainwood and sworn to in Court by James Babson. The estate was valued at 27£ 6s. (*Essex County Probate*, 1:343).

She died in Gloucester, Apr. 6, 1661, aged 81 years.

DAME ISABELLA BABSON

Poet and bard have oft been led to sing
Of our New England shore, and what did bring
The people from a foreign land and clime
To live among its crags for future time.

Of history, we scan the pages o'er and o'er,
 And still we find new subjects in its lore.
 One lonely tract that jutted out to sea
 Sustained a population sturdy,—free:
 Who wrested from the ocean's salty wild
 A livelihood—for husband, wife and child.

To this bleak land, where men there lived—so few,
 Soon came a dame who nature's "simples" knew.
 Her skill to aid a new-born babe she gave;
 With healing art, an aged crone would save.
 The ways from home to home were dreary, long—
 But heart within her breast beat true and strong:
 A spirit filled with hope and love was here:
 The Saviour's guide these weary lives to cheer.
 Many a son sailed out o'er ocean's deep
 But ne'er returned from that last long sleep.

Fishermen wrecked—so hearty and so hale!
 Left lonely weeping women, young and frail,
 And tiny children—playing on the shore—
 Who now would know a father's love ne'er more.
 And then that scourge—the plague—she walked serene;
 For *her* there was no bolted door—unclean.
 With tender touch, she smoothed away Death's frown
 From faces grey, and laid the bodies down
 To sleep in greensward—by the church so near;
 Where peace and quiet reigned: naught more to fear.

In Gloucester town is statue of a saint*
 Whose deeds of war the *world's* been known to paint.
 Her charger stands on high to face the bay
 And she herself but paved the ruthless way
 For *this* brave saint who dared a foreign land
 To heal the sick by grace of woman's hand.
 Full long she served the living and the dead
 Till a whited halo shone about her head.
 At eighty four she left a goodly fame,
 And posterity shall e'er revere her name.

MAY GIBSON BURLIN.

March 1932.

Isabel lived and died in Gloucester on what is now Main Street, near corner of Porter Street. Town records show that the poem quoted above correctly pictures her life and the public esteem in which she was held. The records indicate that she was a very active, kindly and beloved member of the community. On a cer-

*Joan of Arc.

tain winter day in 1658, there was granted to her son by special town act the so-called James Babson Farm. This was done in her honor. James lived at corner of Joppy Road and Eastern Avenue, where John J. Babson later lived and wrote the history of Gloucester. This house of James'—although nearly one mile from James' little stone cooperage shop—was the nearest house thereto.

2

JAMES² BABSON, born about 1633; died in Gloucester, Dec. 21, 1683; married in Gloucester, Nov. 16, 1647, ELEANOR HILL, who died, as his widow, in Gloucester, Mar. 14, 1713/14, aged about 84.

James Babson of Gloucester being by God's providence visited with sickness and weakness made his will Dec. 4, 1683, which was proved Mar. 25, 1684—New Year's day as time was then reckoned. To his wife he gave all except what I do hereafter dispose of. To his son John Babson he gave two acres which his house standeth upon against the Harbour in Gloucester. To all the rest of my children—not named—five shillings apiece. His son, Philip Babson, to be executor. The inventory was taken Dec. 21, 1683, and amounted to £111:16s. (*Essex Probate Files*, 1183.)

Eleanor Bapson, widow, and executrix of the estate of James Bapson, late of Gloucester, cooper, deceased, for £10 sells my loving sister Abigail Hill, widow and administratrix of the estate of my brother John Hill, late of Beverly, cooper, deceased, on condition that Ann Bapson, only child of my son, Philip Bapson, deceased, shall receive of the heirs of the said Abigail all my right of £10 in the estate of my brother John Hill aforesaid, dated Aug. 5, 1708. (*Essex County Deeds*, 20:120.)

James Babson received the above-mentioned grant of land in Gloucester, Dec. 23, 1658, as follows:

"Given to James Babson twelve acres of fresh meadow lying above the Mill, also twenty acres of upland lying by the side of it."

On this land he settled and it finally passed into the possession of Thomas Witham who married his youngest daughter, Abigail. In that family it has ever since remained. So stated John James Babson in 1876.

He sold eight acres of upland—six being on the eastern side of Long Poynt and two at said Long Poynt, to William Haskell, Mar. 14, 1671/72 his wife Eleanor signing with him. (*Essex County Deeds*, 22:263.)

James Babson deposed May 5, 1663, stating that he was 30 years of age. (*Essex County Court Records*, 3:40.)

He gave ten shillings to the present maintenance of Brother Millet in 1657. (*Ibid.* 2:64.) Brother Millet was Thomas Millet, ruling elder in the First Church of Gloucester.

Walter Tibbetts of Gloucester made his will June 5, 1651, and among his bequests was this: "I give to Elnor Bapsene the wife of James Bapsene forti shlbens."

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 3—I. JAMES³, b. Sept. 29, 1648.
- 4—II. ELEANOR, b. June 15, 1651.
- 5—III. PHILIP, b. Oct. 15, 1654.
- 6—IV. SARAH, b. Feb. 15, 1656; d. Jan. 19, 1675/6.
- 7—V. THOMAS, b. May 21, 1658.
- 8—VI. JOHN, b. Nov. 27, 1660.
- 9—VII. RICHARD, b. June 1, 1663.
- 10—VIII. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 8, 1665; living with her mother, unm., in 1704; probably m. May 18, 1716, Thomas Sheath.
- 11—IX. EBENEZER, b. Feb. 8, 1667/8; d. young and unm.
- 12—X. ABIGAIL, b. May 13, 1670; m. July 8, 1691, Thomas Witham, of Gloucester. Abigail, wife of Thomas Witham, d. Feb. 25, 1745. Her son Daniel Witham was the third Gloucester graduate of Harvard College. (*Babson's Notes and Additions, Gloucester, Part I, pp. 5, 6.*)

3

JAMES³ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 29, 1648. He was not traced by Mr. Sidney Perley. His brothers were seamen and the probability is that he was also a seaman. In the Prerogative Court in London is the will of one John Martin, of New England, bachelor, who departed this life on the high seas, June 4, 1673. He made his will on June 3, 1673, which was proved in London, Feb. 5, 1673/4. He made the following bequests, viz. to Jeremy Jackson one dollar; to William Godfrie two dollars; to Steven Swasey one dollar; to Richard Sanders six pence; to John Shewt (Shute) six pence; to John Hill sixteen shillings; "to James Babson my consort I give my wages that is due to me for my service in his Majesty's ship the Jersey, with all the rest of my goods, money or what else I possess in this ship." (*Water's Gleanings in England, 2:1288.*)

This seems to place James Babson, then in his twenty fifth year, as a consort of John Martin of New England and in the ship Jersey on the high seas, June 3, 1673. He does not later appear in New England.

5

PHILIP³ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 15, 1654; died in 1708; married in Salem, Oct. 22, 1689, HANNAH BAKER, daughter of Cornelius and Hannah (Woodbury) Baker, born Nov. 28, 1662. (*Perley's History of Salem, 3:14.*) She died in Beverly, Dec. 13, 1692. They lived in Salem and Beverly.

Hannah, wife of Philip Babson, owned the covenant of the First Church of Beverly, May 3, 1691, and on the same day their daughter

Anna was there baptized. (*Essex Institute Collections*, 35:205 and 37:199).

Child, born in Beverly:

- 13—I. ANNA⁴, b. Aug. 22, 1690. She probably is the Anna Babson who m: in Gloucester, Mar. 15, 1719/20, Israel Hendricks, a sojourner in Gloucester.

7

THOMAS³ BABSON, born in Gloucester, May 21, 1658. Among many Gloucester people he took the oath of fidelity as a seaman, at a Court held in Salem, Jan. 29, 1677/8. (*Essex County Records and Files*, 6:402). Edmond or Edward Ashley brought a suit against Timothy Clarke, commander of the ship *Sea Venture* for false imprisonment and Timothy Clarke brought a counter suit in the same court against Ashley for refusing to pay 27 shillings from the wages of Thomas Babson, deceased, for satisfaction of the doctor of the *Indeavour* in the last voyage at Salatudes, Ashley having received the full wages of said Babson, deceased, at Tertudes, May 23, 1679. (*Ibid.* 7:254).

Thomas Babson was a Hampton, N.H., soldier in King Philip's War. He was in Capt. William Turner's Company from Apr. 7, 1676.

The Town Records of Gloucester show that Mar. 16, 1695/6, John Babson had given to him a lot that fell to his brother, Thomas Babson when the lots were granted to soldiers at Kettle Cove which was laid out to John Babson, Feb. 11, 1696/7. (*Suffolk Court Files*, 3418).

His brother John Babson was claimant to his rights in Narraganset No. 3, Souhegan West (now Amherst), N. H. in 1728 and drew lot 63. (*Bodge's Soldiers in King Philip's War*, 240, 421 and *Secomb's History of Amherst, N. H.*, 33). The inference is that he died unmarried, before May 23, 1679, as his brother inherited his rights in lands in 1728. It is clear that there were no children of his living in 1728.

8

JOHN³ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 27, 1660; died there in June —, 1737; married in Gloucester, Nov. 8, 1686, DORCAS ELWELL, only daughter of Josiah and Mary (Collins) Elwell of Gloucester. This marriage was performed by Rev. John Emerson and is the earliest one solemnized by a minister on the Gloucester Town Records. His wife died also in June —, 1737.

He was variously called in the records mariner, tailor, shoreman, and wood-coaster. In 1718 he was living on the lot at the Harbor that had belonged to his grandmother, one half of which, in that year, he gave to his son, John Babson, in consideration "of that natural love and parental affection which I have and do beare unto

my son, and also for his dutiful carriage and behavior of himself towards me, and to encourage him still to take care of and be helpful to me in my old age, in case I should stand in need, and being willing to settle him in some part of my estate." It is not known that he ever resided on his land at Straitsmouth.

John Babson deposed in the Court held at Ipswich, Sept. 30, 1679, stating his age as 18 years. (*Essex County Records*, 7:254).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 14—I. ELIAS⁴, b. Sept. 4, 1687; d. May 15, 1720, aged 32, probably unm.
- 15—II. JAMES, b. July 5, 1689.
- 16—III. JOHN, b. Dec. 14, 1691.
- 17—IV. EUNICE, b. Feb. 4, 1695; d. Aug. 24, 1695.
- 18—V. THOMAS, b. June 28, 1696; d. July 17, 1696.
- 19—VI. DORCAS, b. June 26, 1697; m. Jan. 19, 1720/21, Robert Randall of Gloucester.
- 20—VII. Son, b. and d. Jan. 11, 1699/1700.
- 21—VIII. ISABELLA, b. Dec. 15, 1700; d. Aug. 27, 1702.
- 22—IX. JOSIAH, b. Mar. 26, 1703; d. June 6, 1720, aged 17 yrs.

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RICHARD³ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 1, 1663; married (1) about 1686, MARY —, who died in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1717/18, aged about 54 years. He married (2) in Gloucester, Oct. 14, 1718, JANE READING, widow of John Reading who died in Gloucester, Nov. 17, 1716, aged about 56 years. They lived at Fresh Water Cove.

On Oct. 10, 1720, he sold to his son John Babson his house and land at Fresh Water Cove for £34 and acknowledged the deed at Falmouth, Me. He styled himself seaman or coaster and may have removed to Falmouth about 1720.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 23—I. JOHN⁴, b. July 9, 1687.
- 24—II. SARAH, b. Jan. 12, 1689; m. Feb. 3, 1709, Nathan Millet who was drowned near Manchester Neck, Jan. 6, 1724, leaving a widow and seven children.
- 25—III. JOSEPH, b. June 25, 1690; d. Feb. 1, 1690/91.
- 26—IV. JOSEPH, 2d, b. Nov. 19, 1691; d. July 19, 1692.
- 27—V. HANNAH, b. Dec. 22, 1695; m. Dec. 23, 1714, James Sawyer, Jr. and settled near her father's home at Fresh Water Cove.
- 28—VI. EXPERIENCE, b. Apr. 23, 1698.
- 29—VII. REBECCA, b. Aug. 6, 1700. She had a son called James Dyke, b. Mar. 12, 1720. "Tis reported that his sd mother dyed at Billerica" about Apr. 8, 1720, aged 19.
- 30—VIII. EUNICE, b. Mar. 14, 1703; m. Dec. 24, 1723, John Millet, of Gloucester. They lived on the Rev. Richard Blynman farm at Kettle Cove.
- 31—IX. THOMAS, b. May 3, 1706; d. May 26, 1706.
- 32—X. ABIGAIL, b. May 13, 1708; probably m. Mar. 28, 1727, Job Denning.

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JAMES⁴ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 5, 1689; died in the winter of 1736/7; married in Gloucester, Dec. 26, 1721, RUTH LOVETT. She entered her intention (2) July 9, 1737, with EBENEZER SOMES of Gloucester.

Ruth Babson of Gloucester, widow, was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband James Babson, late of Gloucester, deceased, Feb. 8, 1736/7, and Ruth Babson alias Somes rendered her account of said estate, Oct. 24, 1737. (*Essex County Probate*, 1184).

Ruth Somes alias Babson, administratrix of the estate of James Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, for £465 sells John Babson of the same town, mariner, a tenement in Gloucester in the Harbour so called between the two streets and one half acre, being a part of the homestead of John³ Babson, deceased, the father of the said James Babson, deceased, bounded easterly by the land of Capt. John Prince, southerly on the Forestreet, northerly on the New or Meeting House street, Nov. 22, 1743. (*Essex County Deeds*, 84:275).

Children, born in Gloucester:

33—I. JOHN⁵, b. Nov. 16, 1722.

34—II. RUTH, b. July 5, 1725.

35—III. ISAAC:

36—IV. SARAH.

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JOHN⁴ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 14, 1691; died there June 1, 1720, aged 29 years. He married in Gloucester, Jan. 6, 1714/15, MARY BUTMAN, daughter of John and Sarah (Robinson) Butman, born in Gloucester, July 18, 1697. She married (2) in Gloucester, Jan. 12, 1720/21, JABEZ MERCHANT, of Gloucester, and died at the house of her son, Daniel Merchant, Mar. 12, 1778, aged 80 years. (*Babson's Historical Notes, Second Series*, 98).

John Babson abovesaid was the youngest of three John Babsons living in Gloucester in his lifetime. Therefore, he was called John Babson, 3d.

Mary Babson, widow, was appointed administratrix of the estate of John Babson, 3d, of Gloucester, deceased, with James Babson and Philemon Warner as sureties in \$500., Jan. 3, 1720/21. The inventory states that John Babson, 3d, died June 1, 1720.

Jabez Merchant of Gloucester, cordwainer, and Mary his wife, late widow of John Babson, 3d, of Gloucester, deceased, agree that John Babson shall take the eldest child James to bring up at his own charge; and has paid unto his son James Babson, a debt of £50 which was due from the estate of his brother, John Babson, deceased. In consideration of this Jabez Merchant and Mary his wife quit-

claim unto their father, John Babson, all rights in the housing and land which her late husband died seized of during the minority of his grandson, James Babson. This agreement was signed Feb. 17, 1721/22. (*Essex Probate*, 1187).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 37—I. MARY⁵, b. Dec. 15, 1716; d. Jan. 18, 1716/17.
- 38—II. JAMES, b. Dec. 19, 1717.
- 39—III. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 4, 1719.

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JOHN⁴ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 9, 1687; died shortly before Dec. 13, 1742; married in Gloucester in the year 1711, HANNAH HODGKINS, probably daughter of Samuel and Hannah (—) Hodgkins, born in Gloucester, May 18, 1686.

Hannah Babson, widow, was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, John Babson, late of Gloucester, coaster of the fishermen, deceased, Dec. 13, 1742. The inventory was taken Jan. 7, 1742/3, amounting to £123:5:11. The account of Epes Sargent, Jr., mentions coroner's fees £1:3:4; juror's fees £1:16 and constable's fees 18s. John Babson, Jr., received from the estate a portion, May 30, 1743. (*Essex County Probate*, 1188). His wife, Hannah, was his widow in 1744. Many of the Babsons trace their origin through this family.

Mr. John James Babson stated that there were seven sons and two daughters.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 40—I. THOMAS⁵, b. Apr. 21, 1712; d. Apr. 22, 1712.
- 41—II. JOHN, b. Sept. 7, 1713.
- 42—III. SAMUEL (twin), b. June 12, 1715.
- 43—IV. SOLOMON (twin), b. June 12, 1715.
- 44—V. HANNAH, b. Sept. 8, 1717; m. Nov. 29, 1750, Benjamin Webber.
- 45—VI. PHILIP, b. July 28, 1719.
- 46—VII. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 18, 1721.
- 47—VIII. JOSEPH, b. July 18, 1731.

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JOHN⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 16, 1722. He received a deed of his father's homestead which had belonged to his grandfather in Gloucester Harbour, between Forestreet and Meeting House street, Nov. 22, 1743. (*Essex County Deeds*, 84:275). He married in Gloucester, Jan. 11, 1738/9, DEBORAH STEVENS, daughter of James and Deborah (Sayward) Stevens, born in Gloucester, Oct. 23, 1719.

John Babson, of Gloucester, mariner, for £13:6s:8d. sells Samuel Chandler, clerk, (i.e. clergyman) land in Gloucester adjoining to my

house lot and fronting the Middle street, with the buildings thereon. The deed was signed by John Babson and Deborah Babson, his wife, who relinquished her rights Aug. 1, 1752; acknowledged by both, Aug. 10, 1752. (*Essex County Deeds*, 102:50).

Rev. Samuel Chandler's house was gambrel-roofed and was standing as late as 1860 on the south side of Middle Street, about midway between Short Street and Center Street, (*Babson's History of Gloucester*, 327).

John Babson was called John, Jr., at the time of the birth of his children, being the younger of two Johns then living in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 48—I. JOHN⁶, b. Oct. 9, 1739; d. young.
- 49—II. SAMUEL, bapt. Mar. 22, 1740/41.
- 50—III. DEBORAH, bapt. July, 1744; m. Dec. 11, 1766, Charles Fleming.
- 51—IV. JOHN, bapt. Feb. 8, 1746/7.
- 52—V. NATHANIEL STEVENS, b. Dec. 6, 1749.
- 53—VI. JAMES STEVENS, bapt. Apr. 19, 1752; has not been identified.

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ISAAC⁵ BABSON, born about 1727; died at Point Petre, Gaudaloupe of small pox, Dec. 6, 1760. He was mate of a vessel at the time of his death. He married in Topsfield in 1748/9, MEHITABLE CUE, daughter of Robert and Mary Cue, born in Wenham, June 22, 1732; died in Beverly shortly before Mar. 5, 1799.

Mehitable Babson, widow, was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband, Isaac Babson, late of Wenham, deceased, Apr. 14, 1760. The inventory mentions land in Wenham £62 and land in Gloucester £30:13:4. Her account was dated June 3, 1782, in which she charged for keeping Sarah Babson, a daughter aged 7, for 2 years, 4 months, for Isaac Babson under 7, for 6 years, 1 month.

Isaac Babson of Hopkinton, N. H., gentleman, petitioned Mar. 4, 1784, to sell the estate. He gave a bond to pay Sarah Francis, a daughter of the deceased, or her representatives, and to Ruth Babson and Mehitable Killam, other daughters, £11:10s. each Mar. 13, 1784. (One third being assigned to the widow as her dower). John Francis received for Sally Francis her part of her grandfather's estate, Nov. 16, 1784. John Killam and Mehitable Killam received their share, June 4, 1784. Ruth Babson received her share at Hopkinton, Apr. 13, 1784. Mehitable Babson, the widow, had her third set off, Mar. 1, 1784. James Babson, the eldest son had two shares and Isaac Babson, another son, had one share. (*Essex Probate*, 1181).

Mehitable Babson of Beverly, widow, made her will, Nov. 6, 1798, which was proved Mar. 5, 1799. She mentions therein her grandchildren left of her son James Babson, her daughter Mehitable

Killam, her son Isaac Babson, her granddaughter Sally Frances. Her daughter Ruth Babson to be executor who as a singlewoman, gave bonds in \$500., Mar. 5, 1799. (*Essex Probate*, 1195).

Children, born in Wenham:

- 54—I. JAMES⁶, b. Mar. 5, 1748/9.
- 55—II. RUTH, b. Nov. 22, 1751; living in Beverly, unm. 1799.
- 56—III. MEHITABLE, b. May 30, 1753; d. Aug. 1, 1759.
- 57—IV. SARAH, b. June 6, 1755; d. 1784; m. July 23, 1772, John Francis of Beverly.
- 58—V. HULDAH, b. May 23, 1757.
- 59—VI. ISAAC, b. Feb. 2, 1759.
- 60—VII. MEHITABLE, m. about 1778, John Killam of Wenham; of Sanford Me., 1784 and of Alfred, Me., 1799.

38

CAPT. JAMES⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 19, 1717; died in Gloucester, Sept. 2, 1759. He was brought up by his grandfather John Babson as his father died young. He married (intention Dec. 16, 1738), HANNAH SMITH, who died in Gloucester, his widow, Nov. 26, 1759, aged 43.

He was master of the schooner *Industry* and arrived from Lisbon, May 19, 1757; and again from the same port, Apr. 10, 1758. He arrived at Cape Ann from Lisbon in five weeks, Apr. 12, 1759—his last voyage. Rev. Samuel Chandler attended the funeral of both Capt. Babson and his widow.

Aaron Newhall was granted administration on the estate of James Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, Mar. 3, 1760, and gave bond in £1000. The inventory mentions his sea books and instruments £2:6:8; his dwelling house, barn and land, £250; his pew in Rev. Mr. Chandler's Meeting House, £14:6:8; total £421:7:7. The account dated Aug. 4, 1762, mentions two young children and Benjamin Babson, a minor for board 12 weeks; paid for gravestones, £4:10:8.

An account of the estate of Hannah Babson, late of Gloucester, deceased, dated Aug. 25, 1760. In the same file, James Babson, mariner, was appointed administrator, Aug. 20, 1765. The estate was settled on James Babson, the eldest son of the deceased and he was ordered to pay his brother Benjamin Babson, his sister Hannah Newhall, his sister Anna Sanders, his sister Dorcas Babson and his sister Mary Babson £29:8 each, Aug. 20, 1765. (*Essex Probate*, 1185).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 61—I. HANNAH⁶, b. Oct. 20, 1739; m. Dec. 14, 1758, Capt. Aaron Newhall of Gloucester.
- 62—II. ANNE, b. Dec. 3, 1741; d. young.
- 63—III. JAMES, b. July 12, 1743.

- 64—IV. ANNA, b. Mar. 22, 1745; m. Dec. 27, 1763, Bradbury Sanders of Gloucester.
- 65—V. BENJAMIN, b. Nov. 9, 1746; d. young.
- 66—VI. DORCAS, b. July 5, 1749; unm. 1765; probably m. Feb. 6, 1772, Epes Sargent, Jr.
- 67—VII. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 26, 1750.
- 68—VIII. MARY, b. Feb. 6, 1753; unm. 1765.
- 69—IX. BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 24, 175—; living Aug. 20, 1765.

39

WILLIAM⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 4, 1719; died 1749; lost at sea. He married in Gloucester, Nov. 20, 1743, MARTHA HARADEN, born April 26, 1726, daughter of Capt. John Haraden of Annisquam. She died as his widow in Gloucester, Oct. 15, 1772. They lived on Haraden's Point, at Annisquam in Gloucester.

William⁶ Babson sets forth that the estate of his mother Martha Babson, late of Gloucester, deceased, belongs to Gideon Lane, Nathaniel Griffin, Jesse Saville and himself and is unsettled and as his business calls him away to sea desires the Court to grant administration to his brother-in-law Gideon Lane, Feb. 3, 1773. Gideon Lane was appointed, Mar. 2, 1773, and gave bond in £500. The inventory shows that she owned the training field and land adjoining the Flake Yard; whole valued at £293:17:8½.

William⁶ Babson, one of the heirs, appeared in Court and complained that Gideon Lane had not rendered an account, Jan. 2, 1776. Gideon Lane rendered the account Apr. 9, 1777. (*Essex Probate*, 1194).

Martha Babson of Gloucester, widow of William Babson, late of Gloucester, deceased, for £40 sells "John Babson, Jr., of Gloucester, mariner, my son all that part of the dwelling at Annisquam which I now occupy," June 22, 1772. (*Essex County Deeds*, 130:178).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 70—I. JOHN⁶, b. July 2, 1744.
- 71—II. MARTHA (twin), b. Oct. 8, 1745; m. Oct. 6, 1763, Jesse Saville; living in New Boston, N. H. in 1776. She d. Apr. 19, 1785.
- 72—III. MARY (twin), b. Oct. 8, 1745; m. Feb. 23, 1764, Gideon Lane of Gloucester.
- 73—IV. FRANCES, b. Aug. 10, 1747; m. Dec. 19, 1765, Nathaniel Griffin of Gloucester.
- 74—V. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 5, 1749.

41

JOHN⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 7, 1713; died there, Mar. —, 1797, aged 84. He, or another of the same name, was master of the *Brittania*, 38 tons, sailing from Salem to Maryland, Dec. 7, 1759, and from Maryland to Salem, Apr. 8, 1760. Again from

Salem to Virginia, Dec. 10, 1761; from Maryland, Apr. 7, 1762 and to Maryland, Dec. 7, 1762. (*Essex Institute Collections*, 62:318).

John Babson, presumed to be the same man, was master of the schooner, *Charming Betty*, 50 tons, sailing from Salem to Virginia, Dec. 10, 1763 and from Maryland, Apr. 21, 1764. (*Ibid.* 63:52).

42

SAMUEL⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 12, 1715. Samuel Babson was master of the schooner *Brittania*, 60 tons sailing from Salem to Maryland, Dec. 10, 1763, and from Virginia, Mar. 19, 1764.

James Stoodly of Portsmouth, N. H., surviving executor of the will of James Stevens, late of Portsmouth, deceased, sells for £106:13:4 to Samuel Bapson of Gloucester, the northerly half of land in the southerly part of Gloucester at the Harbour so called with half the buildings thereon which said James Stevens purchased of his father Samuel Stevens, dated Nov. 19, 1768. (*Essex County Deeds*, 126:114). This may refer to the above Samuel Babson. No family has been identified.

43

SOLOMON⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 12, 1715; died shortly before Apr. 18, 1763. He married in Gloucester, Nov. 9, 1739, ELIZABETH PARSONS, probably daughter of John and Elizabeth Parsons, born in Gloucester, Apr. 30, 1721.

Jacob Parsons, merchant, administered upon the estate of Solomon Bapson, late of Gloucester, deceased, Apr. 18, 1763. The inventory was taken May 2, 1763 in which there is mentioned his dwelling house and an acre of land and a pew in the meeting house. His estate was declared insolvent, May 23, 1763. Elizabeth Bapson, his widow had her thirds set off, June 17, 1763. (*Essex Probate*, 1199).

He was a mariner and lived in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 75—I. SOLOMON⁶, b. Nov. 2, 1740.
- 76—II. ELIZABETH, b. May 8, 1742.
- 77—III. HANNAH, b. May 3, 1744; m. Dec. 4, 1766, Nathaniel Bennet.
- 78—IV. JOHN, b. Apr. 27, 1746.
- 79—V. ABIGAIL, b. Apr. 10, 1748.
- 80—VI. ZEBULON, b. Dec. 10, 1750.
- 81—VII. ISABELLA, b. Nov. —, 1752; m. June 16, 1773, John Collins.
- 82—VIII. EUNICE, b. May 20, 1755.
- 82a—IX. SARAH, bapt. May 15, 1757.

45

PHILIP⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 28, 1719. He married (1) in Gloucester, July 24, 1744, MARY ELWELL, who was buried in

Gloucester, Dec. 8, 1754. He was published in Gloucester (2) June 5, 1756 to ABIGAIL GIDDINGS, of Exeter, N. H., where he lived from 1766 to 1778. He married (3) in Hampton, N. H., Jan. 24, 1771, MRS. BETTY ROBINSON, with whom he returned to Gloucester. He died before 1790, and Betty Babson was head of a family in Gloucester, in 1790, consisting of no male over 16 years of age, one male under 16 and one female. She is supposed to be the Betsey Babson who died in Gloucester, Oct. 8, 1825, aged 74 years, 2 months.

He was a mariner in Gloucester and in Exeter. He deposed with others at Montserrat, Dec. 23, 1746, that he knew the sloop *La Fortune* which was brought into the island by his Majesty's Snow man-of-war and that the sloop was built in Cape Anne (*Essex County Notarial Records*, 46:92). He was master of the schooner *Barcelona* of 60 tons, which arrived in Salem, from Curacoa, May 22, 1752. (*Essex Institute Collections*, 62:307).

Philip Babson of Gloucester, Mariner, exchanged lots in Gloucester with the Town for a triangular lot "whereon my house now stands" * * * near the new School House, Aug. 12, 1751. (*Essex Deeds*, 99:230). He sold the same land to Daniel Rogers of Gloucester, merchant, June 29, 1759 and Abigail his wife signed with him. (*Ibid.* 106:243). He then removed to Exeter from which place his second wife came. He purchased land and buildings in Exeter of Thomas Haley, May 2, 1766 and sold the same property to Theophilus Gilman and Samuel Brooks, Jr., of Exeter, Apr. 9, 1778. He and his wife Betty both signed this last deed. (*Rockingham Co. Deeds*, 108:470 and 110:338). No births of any children were recorded in Gloucester and it is an open question who the male under 16 living with Betsey in Gloucester in 1790 was.

46

WILLIAM⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 18, 1721; supposed to be the William who died in 1775, having been for some time in a weak state of health, and whose death was occasioned or hastened by the compulsion under which he was obliged to act as pilot of the *Falcon* in the attack upon Gloucester in that year; Lindsey having taken him out of a fishing boat for that purpose, and threatened him with death if he ran the ship ashore.

Descendants of this William⁵ and of William (39) of Annisquam, comprise all but one or two that now bear the name on Cape Ann (1876).

He married (1) in Gloucester, July 24, 1744, MARY WILLIAMS, perhaps daughter of John and Jane (Robinson) Williams, born in Gloucester, July 18, 1728; married (2) in Gloucester, May 14, 1765, ELIZABETH CHOATE, perhaps daughter of Josiah and Patience (Roberts) Choate, born in Gloucester, Sept. 20, 1740.

There is no record of the settlement of his estate in the Probate Court of Essex County.

Children by the first wife, born in Gloucester:

- 83—I. WILLIAM⁶, b. Oct. 25, 1745.
- 84—II. PHILIP, b. June 23, 1747.
- 85—III. MARY, bapt. Apr. 2, 1749; m. June 25, 1768, Daniel Wallis of Gloucester.
- 86—IV. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 22, 1750.

47

JOSEPH⁵ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 18, 1731; died in Sedgwick, Me. (now Brooklin), Jan. 15, 1815, aged 83 years. He married in Gloucester, June 12, 1755, MARTHA SOMES, daughter of Abraham and Martha (Emerson) Somes, born in Gloucester, Sept. 21, 1735.

Joseph Babson was commander of the schooner *Adventure*, 42 tons, from Virginia to Salem, Aug. 2, 1757; to the West Indies, Sept. 7, 1757 and from St. Martin's, Jan. 3, 1758. He was master of the schooner, *Charming Abigail*, 36 tons, sailing from Salem to Virginia, Dec. 9, 1758; from Maryland, Mar. 13, 1759; from Salem to Virginia, Dec. 8, 1760; from Virginia, Mar. 17, 1761; to Virginia, Dec. 17, 1761 and from Virginia Apr. 13, 1762. He was again commander of the *Abigail* from Salem to Virginia, Dec. 15, 1762. He again commanded the *Charming Abigail* sailing to Dominico, Jan. 7, 1764 and returning from Antigua, May 5, 1764. (*Essex County Notarial Records, Institute Collections*, 62:195, 197; 63:51).

He was head of a family in Sedgwick, Me., in 1790, consisting of two males over 16 years of age, two males under 16 years and four females. (*Me. Census*, 31).

The family removed from Gloucester to Naskeag (Sedgwick) 1773.

The Eastern Argus published in Portland, Me., Nov. 11, 1823, contains the following, under Deaths: "In Sedgwick, Mrs. Patty (Martha) relict of Capt. Joseph Babson, aged 98."

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 87—I. JOSEPH⁶, b. Dec. 6, 1756.
- 88—II. MARTHA, b. Nov. 10, 1758.
- 89—III. ABRAHAM, b. Aug. 20, 1761.
- 90—IV. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 15, 1764; probably m. May 26, 1783, Joseph Putnam of Newburyport.
- 91—V. JOHN, bapt. Dec. 25, 1768.
- 92—VI. HANNAH, bapt. Aug. 25, 1771.
- 93—VII. JAMES, b. in Sedgwick in 1775.

49

SAMUEL⁶ BABSON, baptized in Gloucester, Mar. 22, 1740/41; died in Lincoln, Oct. 8, 1805; married in Gloucester, July 16, 1765, LYDIA PLUMMER, who died in Lincoln, May 16, 1805. They lived in Gloucester until 1799, when they removed to Lincoln. He was a merchant and his descendants brought a claim against the United States for the loss of the schooner *Sally* by the French Spoliations as late as 1890. (*Middlesex County Probate*, 289). He was styled "Captain" in the Town Records of Lincoln.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 94—I. SAMUEL⁷, b. Oct. 19, 1766; d. in St. Eustatius about 1792.
- 95—II. THEODORE, b. Sept. 2, 1775.
- 96—III. CHARLES, b. Oct. 10, 1777.
- 97—IV. HORATIO, b. Mar. 12, 1781; no later record.
- 98—V. LYDIA, b. May 6, 1783—last four alive Oct. 14, 1805.

51

JOHN⁶ BABSON, baptized in Gloucester, Feb. 8, 1746/7. Mr. Sidney Perley did not find the baptism of this child and did not include him with two other brothers among the children of his father and mother, John and Deborah (Stevens) Babson's family. Two of these children were baptized in the First Parish of Gloucester under the name of Bapson.

52

NATHANIEL STEVENS⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 6, 1749. He enlisted in the Revolutionary War from Newburyport, as a private in Capt. — Lunt's Company of Col. Little's Regiment on May 2, 1775 and served 13 weeks. His age is given as 25 and he went to Quebec and returned Aug. 1, 1775. No later record of him has been found.

54

JAMES⁶ BABSON, born in Wenham, Mar. 5, 1748/9; died on a vessel from Liverpool for New York, of small pox, July 13, 1777. He married in Beverly, May 23, 1771, ELEANOR CONANT of Beverly, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Dodge) Conant, born in Beverly, Jan. 8, 1747/8; died there, Mar. 4, 1802, aged 55 years.

He sailed from Salem to Wilmington, N. C. with a load of naval stores for the West Indies. When six days out he was taken by an English privateer and carried to Liverpool, whence he took passage for New York and died on the voyage. They lived in Beverly.

Children, born in Beverly:

- 99—I. ISAAC⁷, b. Aug. 9, 1771.
- 100—II. JAMES, b. Dec. 1, 1773.
- 101—III. JOHN, b. July 17, 1776.

ISAAC⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 2, 1759; died in Manchester, N. H., July 31, 1800. He graduated at Harvard College in 1779 and removed to Hopkinton, N. H., as early as 1784 and was a tavern keeper there for a time. He married in Warner, N. H., Mar. 13, 1787, ELEANOR STARK, daughter of Gen. John and Elizabeth (Paige) Stark, born in Dunbarton, N. H., June 30, 1767. She married (2) — COOMBS, and had a son Isaac Coombs.

He sold his lands in Hopkinton, Dec. 18, 1790, to David Merritt and Aug. 22, 1793, to Caleb Stark of Dunbarton and removed to Derryfield (now Manchester) where he was taxed from 1797 to 1800. In the Census of 1790, he was head of a family in Hopkinton, consisting of one male over 16 years of age, no male under 16 and five females (*N. H. Census*, 48). There is no record of the settlement of his estate in Hillsborough County.

Sally Babson of Boston in her will gives most important relationships as follows:

Sally Babson of Boston, singlewoman, made her will, July 7, 1874, which was proved Feb. 4, 1878. She gave for the benefit of her brother John Babson of Barnstead, N. H., \$15,000, in trust to Joshua Babcock Merrill and his son Lyman Merrill of Concord, N. H., to pay her brother at their discretion and to the children of her late sister Mehitabel Hoit. To the children of her late sister aforesaid, viz., to Ellen Merrill, wife of Joshua Babcock Merrill of Concord, \$500. To Charlotte Sanborn, wife of Calvin Sanborn of Barnstead, \$500. To Henrietta Warland, widow of T. F. Warland, late of Woburn, \$5,000; to Harriet Newell Rand, wife of Hiram Rand of Barnstead, \$500. To Fanny Elizabeth Johnson, wife of John Johnson, of Berwick, Me., \$500; to Sarah Babson Thompson, wife of A. Hiram Thompson, of St. Stephen, N. B., \$2,000. To John Stark Hoit of Concord, N. H., \$500; to Thomas Lewis Hoit, of Berwick, \$500. To Lyman Coombs, son of my late half brother Isaac Coombs, \$500.

To the children of the late Nathaniel Bowditch of Boston, viz., Elizabeth Frances Fay, wife of R. S. Fay, Jr., of Boston or Brookline, Mary Ingersoll Bowditch, Ebenezer Francis Bowditch and Alice Frances Bowditch, \$500 each.

To the children of Robert M. Mason of Boston, viz., Elizabeth Mason, wife of Robert Winthrop, Jr., of Boston, Ellen Frances Mason and Ida Mason, \$500 each.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Whitmarsh now living in Boston, \$2000. To Ann F. Osborn of Peabody, to Rachel Low Osborn of Peabody, to Mary Thorndike Weld of Beverly, to Ebenezer Francis of Cambridge, cousins of the late Ebenezer Francis of Boston, to Elizabeth Blodgett Stark of Manchester, to my cousin Elizabeth Stark Newell, widow of Samuel Newell, late of Cambridge, to Julia Ann Cotting

and Charlotte C. Cotting, daughters of Uriah Cotting, late of Boston, and to my cousin Abby Stark of Manchester, N. H., \$200 each. Charles U. Cotting of Brookline executor. (*Suffolk Records*, 500:102).

Sally Babson of Boston, died Jan. 3, 1878. Her heirs were John Babson of Barnstead, N. H., brother and the children of her deceased sister Mehitable Hoit, viz., Ellen Merrill, wife of Joshua Babcock Merrill, of Concord, N. H., Charlotte Sanborn, widow of Calvin Sanborn of Barnstead, Henrietta Warland, widow of T. F. Warland, of Concord, Harriet Newell Rand, wife of Hiram Rand of Barnstead, Fanny Elizabeth Johnson, wife of John Johnson, of North Berwick, Me., Sarah Babson Thompson, wife of A. Hiram Thompson, of St. Stephen, N. B., John Stark Hoit, now or formerly of Concord, N. H., Thomas Lewis Hoit, formerly of North Berwick, now of Lynn, nephews and nieces. Bond, \$250,000. (503:311).

Mary Babson of Manchester, singlewoman, made her will Dec. 5, 1839, which was proved Apr. 21, 1873. She mentions Henrietta Hoit, of Barnstead, my niece, daughter of Benjamin Hoit; her cousin, Elizabeth Blodgett Stark, daughter of John Stark, 3d., of Manchester; her mother Eleanor Coombs and her sister Sally Babson, of Boston, to be executrix. Witnesses: Charles H. Peaslee, Harriet Stark and Charlotte Stark. (*Hillsborough County Probate*, 92:202 and 89:461).

Children, born in Hopkinton:

- 101a-I. SALLY⁷, b. about 1788; d. in Boston, Jan. 2, 1878, aged 89 yrs., 4 m., unm.
- 101b-II. MARY, d. before Apr. 21, 1873, probably unm.
- 101c-III. MEHITABLE, b. Apr. 13, 1793; m. in Barnstead, Jan. 25, 1815, Benjamin Hoit of Barnstead.
- 101d-IV. JOHN, b. about Feb. 4, 1799; lived in Manchester and Barnstead; died in Pittsfield, N. H., Oct. 8, 1879, aged 80 yrs., 8 m., 4 d. No evidence has been found that he had a family.

63

CAPT. JAMES⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 12, 1743; died shortly before Apr. 13, 1790. He married in Gloucester, Apr. 6, 1764, REBECCA SANDERS, daughter of Capt. Thomas and Judith Sanders, born in Gloucester, Mar. 16, 1746/7.

Capt. James Babson was commander of the brigantine *General Mercer* called in France *The Hancock*, a privateer of 16 guns and 100 men, from Apr. 30, 1777 to Oct. 17, 1778. (*Massachusetts Hist. Soc. Collections*, 59:148).

Rebecca Babson, widow, was head of a family in Gloucester, June 1, 1790, consisting of one male over 16 years of age, one male under 16 years and three females. (*Mass. Census*, 71).

Rebecca Babson, widow, was granted administration on the estate

of Capt. James Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, Apr. 13, 1790 and gave bond in £500.

The estate had been in the Babson family for about a century and a half and passed to other owners at his death.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 102—I. MARY JACKSON⁷, b. about 1765; m. May 10, 1787, Dr. Thomas Babbitt of Gloucester.
- 103—II. JAMES, b. about 1768.
- 104—III. REBECCA, bapt. Aug. 4, 1771; d. Oct. —, 1774.
- 105—IV. BENJAMIN, bapt. Mar. 13, 1774; d. Aug. —, 1778.

67

WILLIAM⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 26, 1750. He was not mentioned in the settlement of his father's estate, Aug. 20, 1765. (*Essex County Probate*, 1185). No further record has been found. He does not appear as head of a family in New England in 1790.

69

BENJAMIN⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 24, 175—; baptized in the First Church, Feb. 29, 1756. Aaron Newhall was appointed his guardian, Apr. 21, 1760. He was discharged Aug. 20, 1765, and Capt. James Babson, his brother, was on that day appointed his guardian. (*Essex Probate*, 1176). He was the youngest child of the family and was living Aug. 20, 1765, then in his tenth year. No later record has been found of him.

70

JOHN⁶ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, July 2, 1744. William Babson, mariner, was appointed administrator of the estate of John Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, Jan. 25, 1774, and gave bonds in £1,000. The inventory gives one half of a dwelling in the Third Parish near Squam Ferry and land back of it, £85. (*Essex Probate*, 1189).

His mother sold him that part of the dwelling in Annisquam "which I now occupy," June 22, 1772. He may be the John Babson who married in Gloucester, Mar. 20, 1771, ANNA SAVERY. There were no children recorded to them in Gloucester.

52

NATHANIEL⁶, BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 6, 1749. He is probably the person of the same name, in a list of prisoners belonging to Capt. Ward's Company in the expedition against Quebec in 1775.

Nathaniel Stevens Babson, supposed to be the abovesaid Nathaniel, enlisted from Newburyport as a private in Capt. Lunt's Company

of Col. Little's Regiment. He was 25 years of age and served from May 2, to Aug. 1, 1775—a period of 13 weeks. He went to Quebec, (*Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the War of the Revolution*, 1:397). The company returned. There has been found no later mention of him.

74

CAPT. WILLIAM⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 5, 1749; died in the hospital in Charlestown, Dec. 30, 1831, aged nearly 83 years; married in Gloucester, Apr. 17, 1777, NANCY (also called) ANNA ROGERS, daughter of Rev. John and Mary (Ellery) Rogers, born in Gloucester, Oct. 23, 1754; died there, June 24, 1826, aged 72 years.

He was a sea captain and lived in the Annisquam Parish of Gloucester. Administration on his estate was granted to Daniel W. Rogers with William Babson, merchant, and William Ferson, Esq., sureties, all of Gloucester, Feb. 7, 1832.

His heirs were William Babson, Nathaniel Babson, James Babson, Nancy Griffin, Martha Stacy and Mary Stacy, children of the deceased; the legal representatives of John Babson, deceased, a son; of Charles Babson, deceased, a son; and of Catharine Haraden, deceased, a daughter.

The distribution of the estate was made as follows: to William Babson; to William R. Babson for the estate of John Babson; to William Babson for James Babson; to Nancy Griffin; to Nathaniel Babson; to Joseph Haraden; to William Babson for Mary Stacy; to George Rogers, guardian to Nancy R. Babson and Lydia R. Babson, children of Charles Babson, deceased; to William R. Babson for Martha Stacy, each one share, Jan. 6, 1835. (*Essex County Probate*, 1202).

THEIR DEEDS

William Babson, Nathaniel Babson and Joseph Haraden, all of Gloucester, James Babson of West Newbury, Martha Stacy, widow, and Abigail Babson, singlewoman, both of Wiscasset, Me., and William R. Babson of Gardiner, Me., heirs of the estate of William Babson, deceased, quitclaim unto Thomas Griffin of Gloucester, mariner, all rights in the premises in Squam Parish in Gloucester, formerly the estate of William Babson, deceased, with the dwelling house, which formerly belonged to Nathaniel Griffin, deceased. This deed was signed by William Babson, Nathaniel Babson, Joseph Haraden, James Babson, Martha Stacy, William R. Babson, Abigail Babson, Sarah Babson, Eliza G. Babson, Charlotte G. Babson, and Susan Babson, Sept. 24, 1832. (*Essex County Deeds*, 266:256). The same persons also quitclaim all interest in two pastures which formerly belonged to William Babson, deceased, unto Benjamin B. Day, of Gloucester, mariner, on the same day. (*Ibid.* 268:86).

These are important deeds because they show where the heirs of Capt. William Babson were living in 1832. It is known that Abigail Babson of the deed called a singlewoman, should have been called the widow of John Babson of Wiscasset.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 106—I. ANNA⁷, called Nancy, b. Jan. 11, 1778; m. Dec. 2, 1797, Capt. Gustavus Griffin; alive 1835.
- 107—II. WILLIAM, b. June 7, 1779.
- 108—III. JOHN, b. Mar. 2, 1781.
- 109—IV. CATHARINE, b. July 3, 1782; m. Dec. 27, 1802, Joseph Haraden of Annisquam; d. before Feb. 7, 1832.
- 110—V. NATHANIEL, b. June 17, 1784.
- 111—VI. MARTHA, b. July 28, 1786; m. Sept. 19, 1813, Nymphas Stacy of Wiscasset, Me.
- 112—VII. CHARLES, JR., b. Dec. 20, 1788.
- 113—VIII. MARY, b. Apr. 24, 1791; m. 1817, John Stacy; alive Jan. 6, 1835.
- 114—IX. DORCAS, b. Aug. 14, 1793; not mentioned in the division of her father's estate, Feb. 19, 1833.
- 115—X. JAMES, b. Oct. 27, 1795.

75

CAPT. SOLOMON⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 2, 1740. Besides the five children named in the town and church records, he had according to the notes of John J. Babson, the historian, six more—eleven. Sidney Perley gives him seven children—two of which he does not name. The father was a sea captain and is said to have foundered at sea on his passage from the West Indies.

Administration on the estate of Solomon Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, was granted to Solomon Parsons with Samuel Whittemore, Esq., and Moses Sawyer, sail-maker, all of Gloucester, sureties, in \$1,000, Apr. 6, 1796. The inventory mentions two-thirds of a dwelling house and garden, \$200; three quarters of an acre, \$15; 80 acres in New Gloucester, \$160. The estate was declared insolvent, Oct. 3, 1796. Mrs. Dorothy Babson, widow, had her rights in two-thirds of the dwelling which the deceased purchased of Capt. Jacob Parsons, late of Gloucester, deceased, bounded by the thirds of the widow Elizabeth Parsons. (*Essex County Probate*, 1200).

He was head of a family in Gloucester, in 1790, consisting of three males over 16 years of age, two males under 16 and six females. (*Mass. Census*, 71).

Solomon Babson of Cape Ann was owner of the schooner *Phoenix*, a privateer Nov. 21, 1776. (*Massachusetts Historical Society Collections*, 235).

Solomon Babson was commander of the brigantine *Success*—a privateer of 16 guns and 20 men, Dec. 11, 1778. (*Ibid.* 291).

Solomon Babson of Newburyport was commander of the brigantine *Ruby*—a privateer of 6 guns and 21 men, Aug. 9, 1781 to Sept. 16, 1782. (*Massachusetts Historical Society Collections*, 77:270).

He married in Gloucester, Aug. 29, 1765, DOROTHY BROWN, who was buried in Gloucester, June 3, 1827, aged 82 years.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 116—I. ELIZABETH⁷, b. May 13, 1766; probably m. Nov. 29, 1788, Solomon York of Gloucester.
- 117—II. DOLLY, bapt. Oct. 2, 1768; probably m. Nov. 11, 1794 or 1795, Moses Sawyer.
- 118—III. MOLLY TANNER, bapt. Jan. 14, 1770.
- 119—IV. SOLOMON, bapt. Dec. 8, 1771; no further record.
- 120—V. FREDERICK, bapt. Mar. 13, 1774; no later mention found.
- 121—VI. JOHN, probably a son.
- 122—VII. JOSHUA, probably another son. Probably there were four other children whose names are unknown.

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JOHN⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 27, 1746; married in Gloucester, Apr. 26, 1775, SUSANNAH ROGERS, daughter of Rev. John and Mary (Ellery) Rogers, born in Gloucester, June 6, 1756. He was a mariner and a merchant. They lived in Newburyport, 1784-1790; in Gloucester, 1790-1798; in North Yarmouth, Me., in 1799. He died in Mount Desert, Me., Mar. 22, 1825.

Children:

- 123—I. RACHEL ROGERS⁷, b. May 27, 1776, in Gloucester; m. Nov. 6, 1796, Capt. Abraham Somes.
- 124—II. SUSANNAH, b. Mar. 10, 1780, in Amesbury; bapt. in Gloucester, Dec. 4, 1781.
- 125—III. MARY ANN, b. Dec. 3, 1783, in Newburyport.
- 126—IV. JOHN, b. Apr. 5, 1786, in Gloucester.
- 127—V. ISABELLA, b. Feb. 6, 1788, at Cape Ann.
- 128—VI. GEORGE, b. Mar. 11, 1790, in Gloucester.
- 129—VII. EBEN, b. Mar. 29, 1792, in Gloucester.
- 130—VIII. SALLY ROGERS, b. Jan. 6, 1795, in Gloucester.
- 131—IX. SOLOMON, b. Jan. 17, 1797, in Gloucester.
- 132—X. ELIZA PARSONS, b. Aug. 27, 1799, in North Yarmouth.

80

CAPT. ZEBULON⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 10, 1749, or 1750; married (intention in Gloucester, May 6, 1775), MARY ALLEN, who was probably the widow Mary Babson, who died in Gloucester, Feb. 13 or 14, 1818. He was deceased in 1785.

The petition of John Babson in behalf of himself and others, dated Boston, Dec. 29, 1781, asked that Zebulon Babson be commissioned a commander of the ship *Diamond* as a privateer, was ordered in

Council Dec. 30, 1781, that a commission be issued. (*Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolutionary War*, 1:398).

It is reported that he sailed from Newburyport and was washed overboard on the third day out in 1784.

Mary Babson, widow, was head of a family in Gloucester in 1790, consisting of no male over 16 years of age, one male under 16 and four females. (*Mass. Census*, 73).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 133—I. MARY⁷, b. Feb. 11, 1776; d. in Gloucester, Sept. 15, 1855, unm.
- 134—II. ELIZABETH, bapt. Feb. 12, 1778; d. in Gloucester, Oct. 24, 1858, unm.
- 135—III. HARRIET, bapt. Nov. 26, 1781; d. shortly before Nov. 20, 1823, unm.
- 136—IV. ZEBULON, b. Sept. 10, 1784.

83

WILLIAM⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 25, 1745; married in Gloucester, Nov. 7, 1769, ELIZABETH WALLIS, probably daughter of David and Elizabeth (Shortwell) Wallis, born in Gloucester, June 13, 1749.

He was lost in the privateer *Gloucester* which sailed from Gloucester about July 1, 1777, and after capturing the brig *Two Friends* off the Banks of Newfoundland and the brig *Spark* was never heard of later.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 137—I. WILLIAM⁷, b. Mar. 31, 1771.
- 138—II. DAVID WALLIS, b. Oct. 22, 1772.
- 139—III. ISAAC, b. Feb. 7, 1775.
- 140—IV. JOSEPH, b. June 2, 1777.

84

PHILIP⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 23, 1747; married in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1771, HANNAH HARVEY, daughter of Nehemiah and Abigail (Hodgkins) Harvey, born in Gloucester, Mar. 22, 1746/7. He died before 1790, as Hannah Babson of Gloucester was head of a family then consisting of one male over 16 years of age, one male under 16 years and two females. (*Mass. Census*, 73). She may be the Mrs. Hannah Babson, who married in Gloucester, Oct. 26, 1793, Col. Daniel Collins. One Daniel Collins died in Gloucester, Aug. 8 or 9, 1810, aged 68 years.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 141—I. PHILIP⁷, b. June 4, 1771; d. young.
- 142—II. HANNAH, bapt. Aug. 8, 1773.
- 143—III. PHILIP, b. Oct. 10, 1777.
- 144—IV. MARY, bapt. Jan. 16, 1780.
- 145—V. WILLIAM, bapt. June 23, 1782.
- 146—VI. JAMES, b. Oct. 2, 1784.

86

SAMUEL⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Aug. 22, 1750; married in Gloucester, Oct. 18, 1772, HANNAH TARR, probably the daughter of Caleb and Hannah (Davis) Tarr, born in Gloucester, Aug. 5, 1754; buried in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1838; aged 83 years. He was head of a family in Gloucester in 1790, consisting of one male over 16 years of age, three males under 16 and three females. (*Mass. Census*, 72).

He was a mariner on the ship *Vengeance* in the expedition to Penobscot and served from June 27, to Aug. 27, 1779. Again he appears as commander of the brigantine *Ranger*, a privateer, his commission being issued, Oct. 19, 1780. (*Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolutionary War*, 1:397).

Capt. Samuel Babson of Cape Ann was reported as having been confined on a guard ship in England and as proceeding later to Halifax, having obtained his discharge, from thence he was conveyed by the shallop *Sea Flower* by Capt. Solomon Rider and landed at Piscataqua in June, 1777. (*Ibid*, 583). He or another Samuel Babson was a prisoner sent from Halifax to Boston in the cartel *Swift*, Sept. 30, 1778. (*Ibid*. 808).

Hannah Babson, widow, of Samuel Babson, mariner, late of Gloucester was appointed administratrix of his estate, Nov. 2, 1802 and Isaac Elwell and Samuel Babson, Jr., mariner, both of Gloucester were sureties. Bond, \$6,000. Widow's thirds set off, Nov. 3, 1803. The account mentions bills due to Samuel Babson, Jr. and David Babson. (*Essex County Probate*, 1198).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 147—I. HANNAH⁷, bapt. Aug. 21, 1774.
- 148—II. SAMUEL, JR., b. Jan. 9, 1777.
- 149—III. HENRY, b. June 19, 1779.
- 150—IV. MOLLY, b. Jan. 4, 1783; m. Oct. 5, 1799, Joseph Babson of Gloucester.
- 151—V. BETSEY, b. Mar. 2, 1785.

87

CAPT. JOSEPH⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 6, 1756; died in Newburyport, Apr. 22, 1843, aged 87. He married in Gloucester, Apr. 1, 1781, RUTH HERRICK, daughter of Joseph and Tryphosa (Groves) Herrick, baptized in Gloucester, May 30, 1762; died in Newburyport, Dec. 28, 1848, aged 87.

Capt. Joseph Babson, being advanced in years, made his will which was proved May 2, 1843. He mentions therein his wife Ruth Babson, his daughters Ruth Griffin, widow of Jacob Griffin, Ann S. Collins, wife of William Collins of Gloucester and Catharine, wife of William Atwater of Newburyport. To my daughter Lydia, wife of Abraham Babson and to my son Joseph Babson, I make no be-

quests having made provision for them heretofore but I give bequests to their children. Moses Merrill of Newburyport, merchant, to be executor. (*Essex County Probate*, 31734).

Children, first born in Cape Ann, others in Newburyport:

- 152—I. JOSEPH⁷, JR., b. May 30, 1782; bapt. Sept. 22, 1782.
- 153—II. LYDIA, b. Nov. 30, 1786; bapt. Aug. 12, 1787; m. (1) Oct. 1, 1805, Abram Somerby of Newbury; m. (2) Nov. 11, 1816, Abraham Babson of Sedgwick, Me.; alive 1838.
- 154—III. RUTH, b. Jan. 15, 1789; bapt. Sept. 20, 1789; m. July 9, 1809, Jacob Griffin; living as his widow in 1838.
- 155—IV. ANNA SOMES, b. June 15, 1792; int. Feb. 23, 1811, William Collins; living in Gloucester in 1838.
- 156—V. CATHARINE, b. May 13, 1795; m. May 20, 1821, William Atwater; living in Newburyport in 1838.

89

ABRAHAM⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Aug. 20, 1761; entered his intention of marriage in Gloucester, Nov. 24, 1787, with RUTH LUFKIN. He was head of a family in Gloucester, in 1790, consisting of one male over 16 years of age, one male under 16 and two females. (*U. S. Census*, 72).

He removed to Sedgwick, Me. and the most of his children were born in Sedgwick. He lived on "Babson's Ridge" in Sedgwick. Perhaps his widow is the Ruth L. Babson who married in Newburyport, Oct. 25, 1843, James Choate, a ship carpenter.

Children, born in Sedgwick except the first two:

- 157—I. ABRAHAM⁷, b. in 1789, in Gloucester.
- 158—II. SALLY, b. 1790.
- 159—III. MARTHA, b. 1792; perhaps m. Benjamin Dodge of Sedgwick.
- 160—IV. JOSEPH, b. 1794.
- 161—V. RUTH, b. 1796.
- 162—VI. JOANNA, b. 1799.
- 163—VII. DANIEL, b. 1801; m. Mary Smith of Sedgwick.
- 164—VIII. ABIGAIL, b. 1804.
- 165—IX. WILLIAM, b. 1806.
- 166—X. NANCY, b. 1808.
- 167—XI. JOHN M., b. 1810.
- 168—XII. ELIZA, b. 1813.

91

JOHN⁶ BABSON, born in Gloucester and baptized in the First Parish, Dec. 25, 1768; removed with his parents from Gloucester to Naskeag or No. 4, on the Penobscot River in 1773. The plantation was incorporated as Sedgwick, Jan. 12, 1789 and a part was set off as Brooklin, June 9, 1849. He was living with his son John W. Babson in Brooklin, in 1850, aged 83 years. He married EMMA BROWN, who probably died before 1850.

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 169—I. JOHN W.⁷, b. in 1806.
- 169a—II. SAVILIAN, b. about 1810.
- 169b—III. SAMUEL B., b. Oct. 2, 1812.
- 169c—IV. GEORGE W., probably a son, b. about 1818.
- 170—V. JAMES M., b. — 1814.
- 170a—VI. JOHN B., b. about 1826; 24 in 1850; living in Brooksville in 1850, a clothier.

93

JAMES⁶ BABSON, born in Naskeag, Me., in 1775; died in Maine in 1863, aged 88. (*Babson's History of the Early Settlers in Gloucester*, Part 1, p. 8). He does not appear in the Census of 1850 in Brooklin, Sedgwick or Brooksville. No further information of this man has been found by the compiler.

95

THEODORE⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 2, 1775; died there Aug. 27, 1824, aged 49. He entered his intention of marriage in Gloucester, Mar. 11, 1797, with BETSEY ATKINSON, of Gloucester. She was buried in Gloucester, Feb. —, 1813. They lived in Lincoln from 1797 to 1805, when they returned to Gloucester.

Children, first five born in Lincoln, others in Gloucester:

- 171—I. SAMUEL⁸, b. Jan. 16, 1798.
- 172—II. BETSEY, b. Apr. 6, 1799; m. Sept. 10, 1846, Epes Porter, a "stage-man" of Hamilton.
- 173—III. JULIA ANN, b. Oct. 26, 1801; m. Feb. 26, 1826, Capt. Thomas Jefferson Foster of Gloucester.
- 174—IV. THEODORE, JR., b. Dec. 3, 1803; living in Lamoille, Ill. in 1878.
- 175—V. ANNA MARIA, b. about 1805; m. Apr. 2, 1855, Joel Coolidge, a native of Livermore, Me. They lived in Cambridge and Somerville in 1878.
- 176—VI. EMELINE, b. in 1808; d. in Gloucester, Feb. 17, 1878, unm. aged 70. Her heirs were: Eliza Porter, wife of Epes Porter of Gloucester; the widow of Thomas Foster of Gloucester; Anna Coolidge, wife of Joel Coolidge of Somerville—all sisters and Theodore Babson of Lamoille, Ill., a brother (Essex Probate 31720).
- 177—VII. MARY JANE, b. Dec. 7, 1809.

96

CAPT. CHARLES⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 10, 1777; married there, June 8, 1800, SUSAN HOWELL, who died and was buried in Gloucester, May 27, 1814. He was a sea captain.

Elias Lowe, Jr., mariner, of Boston was appointed guardian unto Charles Babson and Lydia Babson over 14 and to Abraham Babson, Eliza or Elizabeth Babson and George Babson, children of Charles Babson, mariner, of Boston, deceased, Mar. 13, 1818. (*Suffolk*

County Probate, 25486 to 25490). He was commander of the schooner *Marion* in 1815.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 178—I. CHARLES⁸, b. Dec. 2, 1802; alive Mar. 13, 1818.
- 178a—II. LYDIA.
- 179—III. GEORGE, b. Apr. 17, 1808; alive Mar. 13, 1818.
- 180—IV. ABRAHAM, b. ————, 1810, alive Mar. 13, 1818.
- 180a—V. ELIZA or ELIZABETH, alive Mar. 13, 1818.

99

ISAAC⁷ BABSON, born in Beverly, Aug. 9, 1771; died there, Mar. 25, 1850, aged 78 years, 7 months, 16 days. He was a brickmaker and lived in Beverly. He married SALLY FRANCIS, daughter of Col. John Francis. She died in Beverly, Mar. 2, 1847, aged 73 years. There were no children's births recorded in Beverly.

He made his will, Jan. 31, 1850, and it was proved Apr. 2, 1850. He gave to each of his nephews and nieces \$50 and to his niece Betsey Burton Babson of Beverly, singlewoman, the residue of his estate. His heirs were Harriet T. Babson, Mary Gardner, Eleanor Babson, Joseph W. Babson, James Babson, and Abby Ann Babson, who each received \$50. The inventory shows that the dwelling house of the deceased formerly belonged to Col. John Francis, deceased, and was appraised at \$2300. (*Essex Probate*, 31728).

100

JAMES⁷ BABSON, born in Beverly, Dec. 1, 1773; removed to Warwick, R. I., where he was living in 1799; later he lived in Coventry, R. I. He married THANKFUL ———, who was a native of Connecticut.

Children, born in Coventry, not in order:

- 181—I. JAMES⁸, b. Aug. 18, 1803.
- 182—II. BETSEY BURTON, unm. Jan. 31, 1850.
- 183—III. HARRIET T., unm. Jan. 31, 1850.
- 184—IV. MARY S., m. Mar. 5, 1843, Jonathan A. Gardiner.
- 185—V. ELEANOR, d. unm. in Beverly, Feb. 23, 1881, aged 60 yrs., 7 d.
- 186—VI. JOSEPH W., alive Jan. 31, 1850.
- 187—VII. ABBY ANN, alive Jan. 31, 1850.

101

JOHN⁷ BABSON, born in Beverly, July 17, 1776; died there, May 29, 1824, aged 47 years, 10 months, 12 days. He was a tanner and lived in Danvers in 1797, and later in Beverly.

John Babson of Danvers, tanner, for \$16, sells Isaac Babson of Beverly, brickmaker and for divers other good causes quitclaims

unto him his interest in one third of about 40 acres in Wenham, being in common with Isaac Babson and James Babson, "formerly the property of my father James Babson, late of Wenham, now deceased," Sept. 16, 1797. No mention of a wife. (*Essex County Deeds*, 161:281).

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JAMES⁷ BABSON, baptized in Gloucester, May 14, 1765. He is supposed to be the James Babson, a seaman, of the schooner *Marion*, Charles Babson, Jr., master who was drowned on his homeward passage from St. Michael's, Apr. 6, 1815. (*Vital Records of Gloucester*, 3:63).

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WILLIAM⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 7, 1779; died there, as "the son of William and Ann Babson," June 29, 1848, aged 69 years, 22 days. He married (1) in Gloucester, Dec. 7, 1800, MARY GRIFFIN, daughter of Oliver and Mary (Wise) Griffin, born in Gloucester, Mar. 31, 1779; died there, Oct. 16, 1821, aged 42 years; married (2) in Gloucester, Mar. 17, 1822, POLLY EDGAR LITTLEHALE, daughter of Richard and Sarah (Edgar) Littlehale, born in Gloucester Apr. 14, 1783; died in Gloucester, Oct. 16, 1823. He married (3) in Gloucester, Mar. 29, 1824, MRS. SARAH (DAVIS) WILLIAMS, daughter of Elias and Sarah Davis, who died in Gloucester, Apr. 12, 1871.

The heirs of William Babson were his widow Sarah who received \$13,590; Mary Davis received \$4,530; Esther G. Davison, \$4,530; Annette Babson, \$4,530; William Babson, \$4,530; John J. Babson \$4,530; and Edward Babson, \$4,530. (*Essex County Probate*, 31745).

Sarah Babson, his widow, made her will, Feb. 20, 1864, which was proved May 16, 1871. She made the following bequests:

To Lucy S. Davis and Mary P. Davis, children of her brother George W. Davis, late of Gloucester; to her niece Mary D. Andrews; to each of the grandchildren of her late husband William Babson, deceased, viz., to Sarah B. Chamberlin, Mary Louise Davis, and Solomon H. Davis, Jr., children of Mary, the wife of Solomon H. Davis; to Nancy Davison and Mary B. Davison, children of Esther G. Davison, deceased, wife of Elias E. Davison; to William Babson, Robert E. Babson and John J. Babson, Jr., children of John J. Babson; to Hannah Babson, Amanda Davis, Edward Babson, Jr., Francis Babson, Isabel Babson, Fannie G. Babson and George F. Babson, children of Edward Babson; to Eleanor Babson, Catherine Babson, and Abigail H. Babson, children of William Babson; the residue to the lawful heirs of my late husband, William Babson, deceased, viz., to Mary Davis, wife of Solomon H. Davis; to Nancy Davison and Mary B. Davison, children of Esther G. Davison, deceased; to John J. Babson, Edward Babson, Annette Babson and

William Babson to each one-sixth part of my estate. John J. Babson and Edward Babson of Gloucester and William Babson of Boston, executors. Valuation, \$19,500. In the probate papers the address of Solomon H. Davis, a nephew, is given as Sacramento, Calif. (*Essex County Probate*, 31743).

Children, by first wife, born in Gloucester:

- 188—I. WILLIAM⁸, b. July 1, 1802; d. Jan. 22 or 26, 1817.
- 189—II. MARY, b. June 13, 1804; m. Feb. 22, 1830, Solomon H. Davis of Gloucester. She d. June 13, 1831.
- 190—III. ESTHER GRIFFIN, b. Feb. 1, 1806; m. Apr. 15, 1829, Elias E. Davison.
- 191—IV. JOHN JAMES, b. June 15, 1809.
- 192—V. EDWARD, b. Feb. 18, 1811.
- 193—VI. ROBERT ELWELL, b. Mar. 8, 1813; d. Feb. 4, 1834, aged 21 yrs.
- 194—VII. ANNETTE, b. Sept. 25, 1815; d. in Gloucester, Mar. 21, 1884, aged 68 yrs., 6 m., unm.
- 195—VIII. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 28, 1817.
- 196—IX. Son, b. July 17 and d. July 15, 1820.

Child by second wife, born in Gloucester:

- 197—X. Son, b. and d. July 4, 1823.

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JOHN⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 2, 1781; died in Wiscasset, Me., June 8, 1825; married Sept. 6, 1804, ABIGAIL HUGHES (HUES), born Nov. 27, 1782; who died May 9, 1863, aged 81. Her remains were buried in the old cemetery in Wiscasset, as were his. (*Bangor Historical Magazine*, 2:235).

Five of his children, being under 21, petitioned to the Probate Court of Essex County Apr. 30, 1832, for their shares in the homestead, fish house, wharf at the Point and privilege at Stage Cove at Squam Parish in Gloucester, being the estate of William Babson, deceased. They describe themselves as "the children of John Babson, late of Wiscasset, Me." On June 5, 1832, Daniel W. Rogers was licensed to sell said estate for their benefit. (*Essex County Probate*, 1180).

John Babson who comes before the citizens of Boston this year (—) as a candidate, is a native of Wiscasset, Me., and is 53 years of age. He was three years in the Governor's Council of his native state, and was appointed Collector of the Port of Wiscasset in 1852. by President Pierce. In 1861, he came to Boston and went into the clothing business at the corner of Washington and School Streets. He has been United States shipping commissioner, with an office at Commercial Wharf, for nine years. He is also treasurer and general manager of the Salamander Felting Company and employs a large number of men.

Children, born in Wiscasset:

- 198—I. WILLIAM ROGERS⁸, b. Aug. 1, 1807.
- 199—II. HARRIET, alive Apr. 30, 1832.
- 200—III. JOHN, b. about 1818.
- 201—IV. GEORGE, alive Apr. 30, 1832.
- 202—V. CATHARINE, entered her intention in Gardiner, Me., Oct. 1, 1841, with William B. Grant of Gardiner.
- 203—VI. MARY HUGHES, b. about 1825; m. William Babson of Gloucester. (195).

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CAPT. NATHANIEL⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 17, 1784; died there, Feb. 1, 1836, aged 52 years, 8 months. He was a sea-captain and lived in Gloucester. He married in Gloucester, Nov. 16, 1809, ELIZA GORHAM LOW, daughter of John and Lucy (Rogers) Low, born in Gloucester, Feb. 4, 1789; died there, Apr. 7, 1862, aged 76. Eliza G. Babson, widow, and John L. Babson and Ann R. Davis, children of Nathaniel Babson, late of Gloucester, request that Nathaniel Babson administer upon the estate aforesaid, May 19, 1836, and Nathaniel Babson, painter, with John L. Babson and John J. Babson, both traders, all of Gloucester, the last two as sureties, administered upon said estate May 19, 1836. The inventory mentions ten acres of woodland, three shares in the Evangelical Meeting House, and one half a share in the Methodist Meeting House. The account was rendered May 14, 1839, and the mother reported one daughter in her family. (*Essex County Probate*, 1197).

John Low Babson of Gloucester, trader, represents that Eliza G. Babson, widow, died Apr. 7, 1862, and that her heirs are Nathaniel Babson, John Low Babson, Charles Babson and Gustavus Babson, sons, and Ann R. Davis and Eliza G. Ring, daughters, all of Gloucester, and that Stephen L. Davis is husband of Ann R. Davis and Edward P. Ring is husband of Eliza G. Ring, all of Gloucester. The inventory was \$3,699, in real estate and \$6,967, in personal estate. (*Ibid.* 31717).

He was elected a deacon of the Evangelical Congregational Church Feb. 6, 1828 and served until his death.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 204—I. NATHANIEL⁸, b. Aug. 9, 1810.
- 205—II. JOHN LOW, b. Mar. 31, 1812.
- 206—III. ANN ROGERS, b. June 29, 1814; m. May 11, 1835, Stephen L. Davis of Gloucester.
- 207—IV. CHARLES, b. May 13, 1817.
- 208—V. GUSTAVUS, b. Feb. 25, 1820.
- 209—VI. ELIZA GORHAM, b. Mar. 9, 1823; m. Aug. 19, 1847, Edward P. Ring of Gloucester.

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CAPT. CHARLES⁷ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, Dec. 20, 1788; died suddenly at Guadaloupe, West Indies, Aug. 24, 1816. He married in Gloucester, Nov. 25, 1813, NANCY ROGERS, daughter of John and Sarah Rogers, born in Gloucester, Feb. 8, 1790; died in Newburyport, Apr. 10, 1858, aged 68.

Nancy R. Babson, widow, was administratrix of the estate of Charles Babson, Jr., late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, with John Rogers, gentleman, and William Babson, Jr., merchant, sureties, Nov. 19, 1816. The inventory mentions one-half of a dwelling in common with Capt. Nathaniel Babson and one-fourth of the schooner *Equality* (*Essex County Probate*, 1177).

George Rogers of Newburyport, schoolmaster, was appointed guardian unto Nancy Rogers Babson, aged three, and Lydia Norton Babson, aged one and one-half years, children of Charles Babson, Jr., late of Gloucester, deceased, Sept. 29, 1818. (*Ibid.* 1196).

Administration on the estate of Nancy R. Babson, late of Newburyport, widow, was granted to George Rogers of Boston with Nancy Rogers Babson and George W. Hill of Newburyport sureties, June 29, 1858. The heirs were Nancy R. Babson and Lydia N. R. Rogers, the two daughters. (*Ibid.* 31739).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 210—I. NANCY ROGERS⁸, b. Oct. 20, 1815; d. in Newburyport, Apr. 22, 1873, unm.
- 211—II. LYDIA NORTON ROGERS, b. Mar. 20, 1817; m. int. Jan. 30, 1844, with George L. Rogers.

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JAMES⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 27, 1795; married in Gloucester, Oct. 5, 1823, SUSAN PRINDALL, daughter of Eliakim and Betsey (Glover) Prindall, born in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1799; died Apr. 24, 1847, aged 48 years, 2 months, 14 days; buried in High Street Cemetery in Gloucester. They lived in West Newbury and Amesbury. He died in Amesbury, Jan. 7, 1844. Susan Babson was guardian to James Babson, aged 20, Susan Babson, aged 16, Edwin Babson, aged 13, and Robert Babson, aged 11, children of James Babson, late of Amesbury, merchant, Mar. 11, 1844. (*Essex Probate*, 31729 and 31730). The father owned one-quarter part of a grist mill and a saw mill in Goose Cove in Gloucester.

James Babson of Boston made his will, Apr. 2, 1883, which was proved Sept. 24, 1883. To his sister Susan B. Swasey, wife of W. H. Swasey of Newburyport, \$6,000. To his niece Imogene W. Babson of Newburyport, \$2,000. To Mary Babson, wife of his cousin William Babson of Boston, \$1,000. To Abby H. Babson, daughter of said William Babson, \$3,000, and to her sister Esther G. Babson, \$500. To his cousin Eleanor Hills, wife of P. K. Hills, Jr., of Staten

Island, N. Y., \$100. To his cousin, Kate Elwell, wife of Francis L. Elwell of Boston, \$100. To his brother-in-law, W. H. Swasey of Newburyport, \$1,000, in trust for the benefit of my nephew, Frank M. Babson, of Newburyport and to pay to him the same at the age of 21. His brother-in-law W. H. Swasey to be executor (*Suffolk County Records* 550:67). His heirs were Susan Babson Swasey wife of William H. Swasey, a sister, James Babson, Imogene W. Babson, both of age and Frank M. Babson, a minor, all of Newburyport and children of Edwin Babson, late of Newburyport, a brother of the deceased. The testator died in Boston, Aug. 19, 1883. (550:426).

Children, born in West Newbury:

- 212—I. JAMES, JR.⁸, b. Aug. 16, 1824; d. in Newburyport, Aug. 19, 1883, aged 59y. 3d., unm., a merchant.
- 213—II. SUSAN, b. Jan. 19, 1827; m. Oct. 28, 1852, William H. Swasey, a native of Thomaston, Maine.
- 214—III. EDWIN, b. June 17, 1831.
- 215—IV. ROBERT ELWELL, b. Feb. 3, 1834; d. in Newburyport, May 9, 1881, aged 47y. 5d., unm., an engineer.

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SOLOMON⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester and baptized at the First Parish, Dec. 8, 1771. No further record in Gloucester. There was no administration on his estate in Essex County.

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EBEN⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 29, 1792. He married JUDITH SOMES, daughter of John and Judith (Richardson) Somes of Mt. Desert, Me. She was born Sept. 16, 1796, and was living in "Somerville" in Mt. Desert in 1850, aged 53. Apparently he was deceased before 1850.

Children, born in Mt. Desert:

- 216—I. EBEN E.⁸, b. about 1823; school teacher there 1850.
- 217—II. ISABELLA C., b. about 1829; living with her mother 1850.
- 218—III. JOHN S., b. about 1833.
- 219—IV. EMILY E., b. about 1836; admitted to the Church in Mt. Desert, May 19, 1867; m. — Athern; dismissed to Bangor; d. Oct. 22, 1913.

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ZEBULON⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 10, 1784; living in Portland, Me. as late as Apr. 28, 1859. (*Essex County Probate*, 31718). He was a grocer and lived in Portland many years. He married in Gloucester, May 20, 1819, MARY PARSONS, who called herself 56 in 1850.

Children, born in Portland:

- 220—I. WASHINGTON⁸, b. about 1824; 26 in 1850.
 221—II. MARY A., b. about 1833; 17 in 1850.
 222—III. GEORGIANA, b. about 1835; 15 in 1850.

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WILLIAM⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 31, 1771; died on a voyage to India on the ship *Franklin* before July 1, 1800. David Babson, fisherman, with Joseph Knights, yeoman, and Joseph Babson, mariner, all of Gloucester, administered upon the estate of William Babson, late of Gloucester, mariner, deceased, July 1, 1800. The inventory mentions his wages on board the ship *Franklin*, \$172. Hadley's Quadrant, \$14; spy glass, \$4; gold watch, \$35; silver watch, \$30. David Babson calls the deceased his brother. (*Essex Probate*, 1201). He probably died unmarried as there was no mention of other heirs in his estate.

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DAVID WALLIS⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 22, 1772; died in Rockport, Sept. 14, 1851, aged 79 years. He entered his intention of marriage in Gloucester, Aug. 25, 1800, with CHARLOTTE WHEELER, probably a daughter of Moses and Susannah (Woodbury) Wheeler, born in Gloucester and baptized in the Sandy Bay Parish of Gloucester, Nov. 14, 1784. They lived at Pigeon Cove in what is now Rockport.

Administration on his estate was granted to John S. Ladd of Cambridge with David Babson and Gorham Babson, both of Rockport, sureties, Jan. 1, 1852. The administration styles him a gentleman and his inventory mentions his mansion house and out buildings valued at \$2,500; his farm, house and barn and seven acres, \$2,500; the Gott orchard of three and one-half acres, \$400; a blacksmith shop and eight acres, \$800; the northeast field of three acres, \$300; the long Penfield of five acres, \$600; the northwest field of four acres, \$400; ten shares in Pigeon Cove Harbor, \$400; total, \$18,065.

His heirs were: Charlotte Babson, his widow, and David Babson, Gorham Babson, Horatio Babson, Joseph Babson, Susanna Babson, and John S. Ladd, being the only heirs at law." (*Essex County Probate*, 31715).

Children, born in Gloucester (now Rockport):

- 223—I. DAVID⁸, b. about 1801.
 224—II. GORHAM, bapt. Apr. 27, 1808.
 225—III. HORATIO, bapt. Apr. 27, 1808.
 226—IV. JOSEPH, b. June 4, 1809.
 227—V. ADELIA, b. —, 1812; int. m. in Cambridge June 28, and in Rockport, July 1, 1841, with John S. Ladd of Cambridge.

228—VI. JAMES LAWRENCE, d. Sept. 27, 1815.

229—VII. SUSANNA WOODBURY, bapt. Aug. 19, 1821; m. in Rockport as his second wife, Dec. 5, 1865, John F. Levett, a native of Marblehead. (Mass. Vital Statistics, 180:249).

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ISAAC⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 7, 1775; buried there, Mar. 27, 1814; entered his intention of marriage in Gloucester, Oct. 24, 1799, with MARY BABSON, daughter of Philip and Hannah (Harvey) Babson, baptized in Gloucester, Jan. 17, 1780. She died in Gloucester as his widow, May 7, 1864, aged 81 years, 4 months. They lived in Gloucester but there was no administration of his estate in Essex County.

Children, born in Gloucester:

230—I. ELIZA⁸, bapt. June 17, 1804; m. in Gloucester, Feb. 11, 1847, Henry Pew, a widower and a mariner, aged 42.

231—II. MARY, bapt. June 17, 1804.

232—III. ISAAC, b. Oct. 6, 1804.

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CAPT. JOSEPH⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 2, 1777; died there Apr. 16 or 19, 1839, aged 63; married in Gloucester, Oct. 5, 1799, POLLY BABSON, daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Tarr) Babson, born in Gloucester, Jan. 4, 1783; died in Middle Street in Gloucester, Sept. 10 or 11, 1865, aged 82 years, 9 months. Molly, Polly and Mary were used interchangeably for the same person. He was a mariner and a sea-captain.

He made his will, Feb. 22, and it was proved May 14, 1839. He mentioned therein his wife Mary Babson, his sons Daniel Tarr Babson, Joseph Henry Babson and Fitz James Babson and his daughters Charlotte B. Foster and Emily Sayward.

His estate was divided June 4, 1867, and the following heirs signed, viz., Hannah Brown, Jeremiah Foster, Jr., Sarah E. Plummer, Fitz J. Babson, Joseph H. Babson and Daniel T. Babson, Mary E. Mason, by her attorney, Fitz J. Babson, Thomas J. Foster by his attorney, Edward Babson, Julia A. Hooper and Mary Foster by their attorney, Joseph L. Stevens. (*Essex Probate*, 1192).

In his will, the testator gave his son Daniel Tarr Babson the testator's homestead, his son Joseph Henry Babson, the Davison house, his son Fitz James Babson, the Allen house and the field near the burying place. His son Daniel Tarr Babson to have his silver watch, his quadrant, his spy-glass, his charts and his rifle. His house in the Harbour, near Mason's Hotel to be equally divided among his children. His house and land at the Cut was valued at \$800, and a house lot on Washington Street, \$700.

His widow, Mary Babson's Heirs, Oct. 10, 1865, were: Daniel T. Babson, Joseph H. Babson, Fitz J. Babson; Hannah Brown, wife

of Samuel W. Brown; Sarah E. Plummer, wife of George W. Plummer, all of Gloucester; Mary E. Mason, wife of John Mason of Philadelphia—children of the deceased; Julia Ann Hooper, wife of Joseph Hooper, Mary E. Foster of Dubuque, Iowa, and Thomas J. Foster, Jr., of San Francisco, Calif.—children of Julia Foster, deceased, and Jeremiah Foster, Jr. of Gloucester, a child of Charlotte Foster, deceased. (*Essex Probate*, 31738).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 233—I. MARY ELIZA⁸, b. Sept. 7, 1803; m. Oct. 23, 1828, John Mason of Porto Rico and Philadelphia, Pa.
- 234—II. HANNAH, b. Apr. 17, 1805; m. Nov. 23, 1837, Samuel W. Brown of Gloucester.
- 235—III. JULIA ANN, b. Mar. 20, 1807; m. Feb. 26, 1826, Capt. Thomas Jefferson Foster.
- 236—IV. CHARLOTTE B., b. July 5 or 15, 1808; m. Nov. 6, 1834, Jeremiah Foster.
- 237—V. JOSEPH HENRY, b. Sept. 16, 1810; d. Aug. 16, 1824.
- 238—VI. EMILY, b. Nov. 7, 1812; m. Jan. 2, 1838, Joseph Sayward.
- 239—VII. DANIEL TARR, b. June 12, 1814.
- 240—VIII. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Aug. —, 1819; m. George W. Plummer of Gloucester.
- 241—IX. JOSEPH HENRY, b. June 3, 1823.
- 242—X. FITZ JAMES, b. Feb. 14, 1828.

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PHILIP⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 10, 1777; died there, Sept. 28, 1829, aged 52 years; married in Gloucester, Jan. 16, 1803, BETSEY WITHAM, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Elwell) Witham, born in Gloucester, Jan. 15, 1784; died in Boston, a widow, where her son lived, July 28, 1856, aged 73. Their twin children were buried in Gloucester, Dec. 19, 1820. Probably a mariner. The births of this family were not recorded.

Betsey Babson, widow, died in Boston, July 28, 1856, aged 73. John S. Webber, of Gloucester, petitioned to administer upon her estate, Feb. 9, 1857, who gave bond in \$2,000. (*Suffolk Probate Records*, 226:38).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 243—I. JAMES⁸, b. and bapt. June 17, 1804.
- 244—II. PHILIP, b. about 1812.
- 245—III. —, buried Dec. 19, 1820.
- 246—IV. — (twin), buried Dec. 19, 1820.
Probably there were other children.

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WILLIAM⁷ BABSON, baptized at the Fourth Parish, in Gloucester, June 23, 1782. Not later found in the records.

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JAMES⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 2, 1784; married in Gloucester, Oct. 13 or 18, 1807, JANE WHARFF, daughter of David and Jane Wharff, born in Gloucester, Sept. 25, 1788. She was living as Jane Babson, Sept. 11, 1822. Her mortgage deed was released Jan. 12, 1821. (*Essex County Deeds*, 205:64).

He was a seaman on the schooner *Marion*, Charles Babson, Jr., master, and was drowned on his homeward passage from St. Michaels, Apr. 6, 1815. He joined in a mortgage deed with his wife Jane to a part of the estate that formerly belonged to David Wharff, deceased, Dec. 13, 1814.

Jane Babson, Isaac and Betsey Tucker, Henry and Nancy G. Stanwood, all of Gloucester, children of Jane Wharff, late of Gloucester, deceased, for \$200, sell Nathaniel Wharff and William Wharff, both of Gloucester, mariners, all rights in the estate of our honored mother, Jane Wharff, in the Town Parish of Gloucester (reserving that part of the garden in front of the dwelling which was set off to Jane Babson in the division). Signed by Jane Babson, Isaac Tucker, Betsey Tucker, Henry Stanwood and Nancy G. Stanwood, Sept. 11, 1822. (*Essex County Deeds*, 231:171). Isaac Tucker married Betsey Wharff, Mar. 7, 1811, and Henry Stanwood married Nancy Gibson Wharff in Aug., 1813. The inference is that Jane Babson was a widow on Sept. 11, 1822.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 247—I. JAMES⁸, b. Jan. 10, 1812.
- 248—II. Infant, bur. Jan. 8, 1814.
- 249—III. BETSEY JANE, b. Sept. 18, 1815.

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SAMUEL⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 9, 1777; married in Gloucester, Aug. 21, 1805, SALLY WHARFF, probably daughter of Isaac and Mary Wharff, born in Gloucester, Nov. 26, 1791. An infant child of Samuel Babson died in Gloucester, Apr. 23, 1806.

Samuel Babson of the Plantation of Patrick Town (incorporated as Somerville, Mar. 25, 1858), Lincoln County, Me., for \$25, sells Joseph Babson of Gloucester and quitclaims all interest in the land in the First Parish of Gloucester, which was set off as a dower to the widow of Samuel Babson, deceased. This deed was signed by Samuel Babson and Sally Babson, his wife, May 17, 1817, and William Babson, Jr., was a witness. (*Essex County Deeds*, 217:5). There was no family of the name of Babson living in Patrickstown in 1850.

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HENRY⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 19, 1779; married in Gloucester, May 12, 1804, LUCY BRAY, probably the daughter of

Samuel and Mary Bray, born in Gloucester about 1790; died in Boston, Jan. 6, 1864, aged 74, a widow.

Henry Babson is first mentioned in the Boston Directory for 1818, as a mariner, living in Gibbs Lane. In 1820, he lived in Sister Street. He is not in the directory for 1821, but Lucy Babson was then called laundress, living back of 17 Pleasant Street. In 1822, the directory lists her as a widow living in the rear of 16 Pleasant Street. She is not later mentioned in the Boston Directories.

Henry Babson of Boston, mariner, for \$200, sells Joseph Babson of Gloucester, mariner, land in the First Parish of Gloucester being the same which said Joseph and myself purchased of the administratrix of the estate of Samuel Babson, deceased, and also all interest in what was set off as dower to the widow of the said Samuel. Signed by Henry Babson and Lucy Babson, his wife, Dec. 12, 1815. (*Essex County Deeds*, 217:5).

Henry Babson is probably the son of Widow Hannah Babson of Gloucester, who is reported in Gloucester to have died *abroad* before Oct. 28, 1821.

Children:

- 250—I. MARY ANN, bapt. in Gloucester, May 14, 1815.
- 251—II. WILLIAM H., b. in Boston about 1817.
There were probably other children.

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JOSEPH⁷ BABSON, JR., born in Cape Ann, May 30, 1782; died in Newburyport, Sept. 1, 1828, aged 46. He married in Lee, N. H., Nov. 6, 1802, NANCY (ANNA) SAWYER, of Lee. She died as his widow in Newburyport, Oct. 28, 1847, aged 67. Anna and Nancy were used interchangeably for the same person. He was a painter and lived in Newburyport.

Joseph Babson, 3d, eldest son of Joseph Babson, Jr., was appointed administrator, Dec. 30, 1828, and Samuel Newman was appointed administrator *de bonis non*, Mar. 30, 1830, with John B. Babson and Ann Babson, widow, sureties. The inventory gives land and buildings adjacent to Tyng Street in Newburyport, \$800, and a pew in Rev. James Multimore's Church in Newbury, \$20. (*Essex County Probate*, 1190).

Administration on the estate of Ann Babson of Newburyport, widow of Joseph Babson, Jr., was granted to Robert M. Merrill of Newburyport, shipwright, who stated that her children were David Babson, Ann S. Merrill and Sarah E. Babson, Feb. 15, 1848. (*Ibid.* 31714). Sarah E. Babson was the widow of Joseph Babson, 3d, and his heir.

Children, born in Newburyport:

- 252—I. JOSEPH, 3D³, b. Aug. 25, 1803.
- 253—II. JOHN BALCH, b. May 25, 1805.
- 254—III. DAVID, b. Jan. 9, 1807; alive Feb. 15, 1848.
- 255—IV. ANN SAWYER, b. Jan. 11, 1809; m. Apr. 12, 1832, Robert M. Merrill of Newburyport.
- 256—V. WILLIAM FREDERIC, b. Nov. 30, 1810; d. Sept. 25, 1811.
- 257—VI. MARY JANE, b. Aug. 28, 1813; d. Sept. 2, 1814.
- 258—VII. JAMES MUNROE, b. July 13, 1817.

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ABRAHAM⁷ BABSON, born in Gloucester, in 1789; married in Newburyport, Nov. 11, 1816, LYDIA (BABSON) SOMERBY, widow of Abraham Somerby, who were married in Newburyport, Oct. 1, 1805, and daughter of Capt. Joseph and Ruth (Herrick) Babson, born in Newburyport, Nov. 30, 1786. Both were living presumably in Sedgwick, Me., as late as May 2, 1843. They were not in the Census of Sedgwick, in 1850. His wife is probably the Lydia Babson who died in Newburyport, Mar. 22, 1871, aged over 80 years. He died in Newburyport, Sept. 8, 1881, a widower, aged 94 years, 7 months, 6 days.

Abraham Babson of Newburyport and Lydia his wife, in her right for \$600, sell Abner Wood Pearson of Newburyport, land and buildings in Newburyport which were conveyed to us by Sarah W. Hale, June 1, 1847. Signed by the grantors July 26, 1864. (*Essex Deeds*, 673:23).

Abraham Babson of Newburyport and Lydia, his wife in her right for \$100, sell Seth Babson of Sacramento, Cal., land and buildings in Newburyport, being a part of the estate of Sally Pillsbury, wife of Alfred Pillsbury, June 14, 1866. (*Ibid.* 705:299).

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 259—I. GEORGE W.³, b. in 1818.
- 259a—II. SETH, living in Sacramento, Calif., June 14, 1866.

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JOSEPH⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., in 1794; married EMMA —, who was 49 years of age in 1850. They lived in that part of Sedgwick, which was set off as Brooklin, in 1849. They were living in Brooklin in 1850. He was a farmer.

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 260—I. LOIS³, b. about 1829; 21 in 1850.
- 261—II. JOSEPH B., b. about 1839; 11 in 1850.

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DANIEL⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick (now Brooklin), Me., in 1801. His wife was MARY SMITH. He lived in the part of Sedgwick which became Brooklin in 1849, but a search of the census of both towns fails to show him and his family there in 1850. He may have married twice.

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 262—I. ANGELA E.⁸, b. in 1844; d. in Boston, Jan. 2, 1892, aged 48y. unm. Angela E. Babson of Boston, made her will Jan. 7, 1889, which was proved Feb. 8, 1892. She mentions Jane E. Smith of Boston. Ray Babson and Harold Babson children of her brother Rodney Rodolph Babson of Brooklin, Me., who was to have all her real estate and to be executor. (*Suffolk Probate Records*, 653:111).
- 263—II. LUCIA M., b. in 1846; d. in Boston, Dec. 25, 1881, aged 35y. unm.
- 264—III. RODNEY RODOLPH, perhaps not in order.

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WILLIAM⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., in 1806; married CLARISSA ———, who was 43 in 1850. They were living in Brooklin, Me., in 1850 and he was a farmer.

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 265—I. CAROLINE⁸, b. about 1832; 18 in 1850.
- 266—II. WILLIAM H., b. about 1836; 14 in 1850.
- 267—III. CHARLES L., b. about 1841; 9 in 1850.

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JOHN M.⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., in 1810; married EMMA ———, who was born about 1814; aged 36 in 1850. He was a farmer in Brooklin in 1850.

Children, born in Sedgwick:

- 268—I. SUSAN C.⁸, b. about 1834; 16 in 1850.
- 269—II. ELLEN M., b. about 1837; 13 in 1850.
- 270—III. HENRY S., b. about 1842; 8 in 1850.
- 271—IV. JULIA R., b. about 1843; 7 in 1850.

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JOHN W.⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick about 1806; age 44 in 1850; married NANCY ———, who was 39 in 1850. He was a farmer in Brooklin in 1850 and his father, John Babson, was living in his family at the age of 83. Apparently there were no children as Louisa Wells, aged 18, was the only other member of the family in 1850.

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CAPT. SIVILIAN⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., about 1810; living in Brooksville, Me., aged 39 in 1850. He was a mariner. He

married in Brooksville, June 12, 1847, ABBIE PERKINS, aged 29 in 1850.

Child, born in Brooksville:

272—I. EMMA F.⁸, b. about 1849.

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SAMUEL B.⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., Oct. 2, 1812; died in Brooksville, Me., June 28, 1889. He married NANCY T. —, who was 39 in 1850. He was a farmer and lived in Brooksville. In this family was living Mary S. Tapley, aged 12 in 1850. He was proprietor of the Hotel in Brooksville in 1875.

Children, born in Brooksville:

273—I. SARAH J.⁸, b. about 1831; 19 in 1850.

274—II. JOHN W., b. about 1835; 15 in 1850.

275—III. JAMES A., b. about 1847; 3 in 1850.

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JAMES M.⁷ BABSON, born in Sedgwick in 1814; married (1) JULIA A. ALLEN, born in Sedgwick in 1820; died in Fitchburg, Feb. 2, 1871, aged 51 years, 24 days. She was daughter of Nathaniel and Judith Allen. He was a carpenter and died a widower in Clinton, Apr. 12, 1874, aged 60 years. His will is in the Probate Court in Worcester, 2295.

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CAPT. ABRAHAM⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, in 1810; married (1) in Gloucester, Dec. 13, 1836, LOUISA W. TARR, probably daughter of John and Judith (Williams) Tarr, born July 14, 1819, in Gloucester. He married (2) in Gloucester, Dec. 25, 1869, ROSELLA A. (BEARSE) WHEATON, a widow, born in Surry, N. S., about 1837. He was a mariner and a fisherman and lived in Gloucester. Abraham Babson died in Gloucester, Mar. 16, 1884, a master mariner and widower. In the partition of Benjamin Bearse, Rosella A. Babson had one tenth part of his estate, Dec. 11, 1906. (*Essex Probate*, 99629).

He was commander of the schooner *Charles A. Stetson*, which was lost on Indian River bar, Mar. 22, 1869 and the boat *Equity*, wrecked on Spectacle Island, Oct. 25, 1870.

Children, born in Gloucester:

276—I. LOUISA⁹, b. Dec. 20, 1838; d. young.

277—II. LOUISA, b. Nov. 6, 1841; m. Oct. 12, 1860, John Page, a mariner, b. in Weare, N. H.

278—III. CHARLES, b. Sept. 26, 1845.

279—IV. JUDITH, b. —, 1848; d. June 9, 1849, aged 1y. 14d.

- 280—V. ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 15, 1850; m. Nov. 18, 1869, Campbell G. Tupper
s. of Samuel and Lydia, b. in Liverpool, N. S. about 1847.
281—VI. SARAH P., b. June 11, 1853; d. in Boston, May 11, 1897, unm.
282—VII. ALVIN, b. Oct. 20, 1855; d. Oct. 11, 1858.
283—VIII. ALVIN, b. June 12, 1859; d. Aug. 5, 1860.

Child by second wife:

- 284—IX. LILLIAN M., b. about 1870; m. in Gloucester, June 21, 1893, William
E. P. Rogers of Gloucester.

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JAMES⁸ BABSON, born in Coventry, R. I., Aug. 18, 1803; married there, Oct. 11, 1826, ALMEDA GREENLEAF SLAFTER, daughter of Silas and Susan (Burgess) Slafter, born in East Killingly, Conn., Mar. 17, 1806. They lived in Coventry, R. I., Killingly, Conn., Smithfield, R. I., Thompson and Woodstock, Conn., Webster, Mass., and Pomfret, Conn. She died in Webster, a widow, Mar. 26, 1880, aged 74 years, 9 days. His death is not reported in the Massachusetts Vital Records.

Children:

- 285—I. ERASTUS WALCOTT⁹, b. in Coventry, Oct. 3, 1827.
286—II. JULIETTE SLAFTER, b. in Killingly, Sept. 9, 1829; m. in Webster,
Jan. 5, 1852, John Q. Boyden.
287—III. MARY JANE, b. in Coventry, Dec. 12, 1831; m. George Washington
Walker.
288—IV. ELISHA JAMES, b. in Smithfield, Feb. 20, 1834.
289—V. ISAAC HOLDEN, b. in Smithfield, Dec. 19, 1835.
290—VI. ALMEDA AVILLA, b. in Killingly, Mar. 15, 1838; m. Raymond Noah
Colvin.
291—VII. HARRIET ELLEN, b. in Killingly, Aug. 11, 1839; d. Feb. 28, 1841.
292—VIII. GEORGE MAY, b. in Thompson, May 30, 1841.
293—IX. HENRY WHITMAN, b. in Woodstock, Oct. 9, 1843.
294—X. ELLEN ANZELA, b. in Killingly, Apr. 7, 1845; m. George Dallas
Smith.
295—XI. ESTELLA ELIZABETH, b. in Killingly, Sept. 13, 1848.
296—XII. CHARLES EDGAR, b. in Webster, Jan. 20, 1853; d. Nov. 16, 1853.

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JOHN JAMES⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 15, 1809; died there, Apr. 13, 1886, aged 76 years, 10 months—the last survivor of ten children. He married (1) in Gloucester, June 17, 1832, MARY COFFIN ROGERS, daughter of Timothy and Clarissa (Coffin) Rogers, born in Gloucester, June 10, 1812; died there, Dec. 13, or 14, 1842, aged 30 years. He married (2) in Gloucester, June 14, 1851, LYDIA ANN MASON, daughter of Alphonso and Lucy (Stratton) Mason, born in Cambridgeport, in 1822; died in Gloucester, Jan. 11, 1907.

John James⁸ Babson was representative for Gloucester, 1859-1860, State Senator, 1861-1862, Representative, 1875-1877.

Hon. John James Babson had only the advantages of the public schools of Gloucester and at 14 entered the store of his father, then and until his death in 1848, an enterprising merchant, engaged in both domestic and foreign trade. Before he was 21, he was appointed a member of the committee to procure subscribers for the Gloucester Lyceum, an institution designed to promote the diffusion of useful knowledge by means of lectures and debates. In Dec., 1832 he gave a lecture on *Early Maritime Discoveries*. He was elected Recording Secretary of the Lyceum in Mar., 1832 and held the office for three years. He held other offices in this institution and in 1870 became a member of the Board of Directors. Later he served as President. The Lyceum became the nucleus of the Gloucester Public Library and upon its creation and endowment Mr. Babson became chairman of the Board of Trustees. From 1836 to 1855, he was cashier of the Gloucester Bank and from 1862 to 1870, he was a director of the Cape Ann National Bank. From 1834 to 1880, he was a member of the School Committee and was Superintendent of Schools in 1855 and 1856 and from 1862 to 1870—a devoted friend to the interests of education.

He served as selectman in 1859 and 1860 and for five years (1859, 1860, 1875-1877) he was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives. For two years (1861 and 1862), he was a member of the Senate.

In Feb., 1864, he was appointed one of the Bank Commissioners and served until Dec., 1865, when the office was abolished in consequence of the establishment of the national bank system.

In 1860, he gave to the press his most important work, his *History of the Town of Gloucester, Cape Ann*, including the *Town of Rockport*. It was an octavo volume of upwards of six hundred pages, almost wholly devoted to the history of the two towns and was ranked among the earliest of the better class of town histories. In the preparation of this work, he showed unwearied diligence and most careful labor. In 1876, he published a quarto volume of *Notes and Additions* and at the time of his death he had nearly completed a new and revised edition of the History.

He was chosen a member of the Massachusetts Historical Society in Nov., 1860. He was elected a Corresponding member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society, 7 Oct. 1864.

In 1871, he went abroad visiting England, Scotland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland and France. Among other places he visited Gloucester and Bristol for traces of the early settlers of Massachusetts who were supposed to have come from that part of England. His own family name was entirely unknown there, though tradition pointed to Bristol as the place from which his ancestors had come.

In 1876, he prepared a monograph of *The Fisheries of Gloucester* from the first catch by the English in 1623, to the year 1876. The style is clear, simple and direct. It will remain the highest author-

ity on the Gloucester fisheries. In 1878, he contributed the chapters on Gloucester and Rockport to the Standard History of Essex County.

He made his will Jan. 8, 1878 and it was filed in Probate Court, Apr. 27, 1886. To his son William Babson, he gave a painting representing the home of some of his ancestors at Annisquam. To his son Robert Edward Babson an illustrated copy of Goethe's Faust; to his son John James Babson the opera glass, bought in the city of Cologne; to his wife, Lydia Ann Babson, such books as she may select from my library. The residue to be held in trust for the benefit of his said wife by his sons William and Robert Edward Babson, who are to be executors. Daniel T. Babson was a witness. Robert T. Babson, a grandson, administered *de bonis non*, July 8, 1922 and Helen P. Babson and Mary C. Babson were his sureties., (*Essex Probate*, 63409).

His widow Lydia Ann (Mason) Babson died at 46 Pleasant Street, Gloucester, Jan. 11, 1907, aged 84 years, 10 months, 22 days.

Children by first wife, born in Gloucester:

- 297—I. WILLIAM⁹, b. Nov. 5, 1833.
- 298—II. JOHN JAMES, b. Sept. 16, 1835; d. Oct. 10, 1846.
- 299—III. ROBERT EDWARD, b. Oct. 17, 1837.
- 300—IV. CHARLES MARSHALL, b. July 11, 1840; d. Aug. 24, 1841.
- 301—V. MARY COFFIN, b. Nov. 29, 1842.

Child by second wife, born in Gloucester:

- 302—VI. JOHN JAMES, b. Feb. 13, 1854.

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EDWARD⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 18, 1811; died in Gloucester, Nov. 27, 1879. He was a merchant. He married (1) in Gloucester, Nov. 12, 1833, AMANDA STANWOOD, daughter of Capt. Richard Goss and Hannah (Harraden) Stanwood, born in Gloucester, July 7, 1811; died in Gloucester, May 6, 1857, aged 45 years, 10 months; married (2) in Gloucester, June 8, 1859, JULIA FRIEND, daughter of George and Mary (Ingersoll) Friend, born Jan. 27, 1834; died in Gloucester, Mar. 8, 1864, aged 30 years, 1 month, 10 days.

His heirs, Dec. 15, 1879, were Hannah S. Babson of Gloucester, Mrs. Amanda Davis of Gloucester, Isabel Lane, wife of Gustavus Lane, of Gloucester, daughters and Edward Babson, Jr. of Chelsea, Frank H. Babson of California, sons, and Fannie G. Babson of Gloucester and George F. Babson of Chelsea, both minor children. (*Essex County Court Files*, 31716).

Frank H. Babson died in San Diego, Calif., Jan. 16, 1904, leaving no widow nor children. His heirs were, on Sept. 16, 1913: Hannah S. Babson of Gloucester, sister (since deceased); Isabel Lane, widow

of Gloucester, sister; Amanda S. Davis, a niece, daughter of Amanda Davis, a sister (deceased); Margaret C. Carr of Salem, a niece, daughter of Edward Babson, a brother (deceased); and Edward B. Whittlesey of New York, N. Y., grandchild of Edward Babson, abovesaid (deceased). (*Essex Probate*, 116777).

Children by first wife, born in Gloucester:

- 302—I. HANNAH STANWOOD⁹, b. Dec. 7, 1834; d. Sept. 2, 1909, unm.
- 304—II. AMANDA, b. Apr. 6, 1836; m. June 1, 1859, Edwin H. Davis.
- 305—III. EDWARD, b. Sept. 20, 1839.
- 306—IV. FRANCIS H. (FRANK), b. Nov. 19, 1843; d. in San Diego, Calif., Jan. 16, 1904.
- 307—V. ISABELLA, b. Sept. 14, 1848; m. Dec. 15, 1874, Gustavus A. Lane as his second wife.

Children by second wife, born in Gloucester:

- 308—VI. FANNY GILMORE, b. Mar. 9, 1860; d. in Gloucester, Apr. 28, 1892, aged 32y. 1m. 19d. unm.
- 309—VII. GEORGE FRIEND, b. Jan. 19, 1862; d. Mar. 4, 1890, unm., Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

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WILLIAM⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 28, 1817; married in Gloucester, June 23, 1851, MARY HUGHES BABSON, daughter of John and Abigail (Hughes) Babson, born in Wiscasset, Me., about 1825. He was a trader and lived in Gloucester and Boston. He died in Gloucester, Nov. 21, 1885, aged 67 years, 11 months, 24 days. His widow died Apr. 14, 1896, aged 70 years, 2 months, 6 days. His heirs were his widow Mary Babson, administratrix and four daughters, viz., Eleanor, wife of P. K. Hills, Jr., Kate, wife of F. F. Elwell of Boston, Abbie H. Babson and Esther Babson, a minor aged 16. (*Essex Probate*, 62820).

William⁸ Babson was representative for Gloucester, 1850.

The probate papers state that Mary Babson died in Arlington, Apr. 14, 1896 and that her heirs were Kate B. Elwell of Arlington, Eleanor Hills of New Rochelle, N. Y., Abigail H. Lovejoy and Esther G. Babson of Arlington.

Robert E. Babson of Arlington states Mar. 15, 1912, that Thomas M. Babson is deceased and petitions to administer *de bonis non* the estate. His account was signed Jan. 27, 1913, by Esther G. Babson, Kate B. Elwell, Eleanor B. Hills, and Abbie H. Lovejoy. (*Middlesex County Probate*, 42210).

Children, born in Boston:

- 310—I. CATHERINE⁹, b. June 30, 1855; m. in Boston, Apr. 24, 1878, Francis F. Elwell of Boston.
- 311—II. ABIGAIL HUGHES, b. May 27, 1857; m. in Boston, Sept. 22, 1886, John F. Lovejoy.

- 312—III. ELEANOR, b. July 30, 1862; m. Boston, Oct. 16, 1877, Philip K. Hills, Jr., of Newburyport.
 313—IV. ESTHER GRIFFIN, b. Dec. —, 1868.

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WILLIAM ROGERS⁸ BABSON, born in Wiscasset, Me., Aug. 1, 1808; married in Gardiner, Me., Dec. 4, 1830, CHARLOTTE B., GORHAM, daughter of Wm. and Charlotte (Beals) Gorham, born June 19, 1810. He and his wife were living in Gardiner, Sept. 24, 1832, but they were not living there on June 1, 1850.

Children born in Gardiner:

- 314—I. CHARLOTTE A.⁹, b. about 1836; m. in Boston, Apr. 13, 1859, Moses T. Davis, a native of Poland, Me.
 314A—II. EMILY, b. Feb. 17, 1846; m. Dec. 25, 1869, Isaac Standish Holbrook. (*Green Family of Plymouth Colony*, p. 85).

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JOHN⁸ BABSON, born in Wiscasset, Me., about 1815; died in Boston, Sept. 25, 1887, aged 72. He was a United States Shipping Commissioner. He married SARAH MCCRATE, who died in Boston, Aug. 6, 1872.

John Babson's heirs were Thomas M. Babson, a son, and Maud F. Smith, the daughter of a deceased daughter of said John Babson. Said child lives in Brookline, as stated in the petition of Thomas M. Babson of Boston, Nov. 7, 1887.

Sarah Babson died in Boston, Aug. 6, 1872. Her heirs were Thomas McC. Babson of Boston, a son, Annie I. McC. Babson of Boston, minor daughter and Maud Fuller Smith of Chicago, Ill., a minor granddaughter and John Babson, husband of the deceased. James Babson and William Nichols of Boston were sureties on bond of Thomas McC. Babson, Dec. 10, 1872. (*Suffolk Probate Records*, 460:243).

Children, born in Wiscasset:

- 315—I. ANNIE S. MCCRATE⁹, b. about 1856; m. in Boston, Feb. 25, 1884, Oscar M. Chandler.
 316—II. THOMAS MCCRATE, b. about 1847.

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NATHANIEL⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Aug. 9, 1810; married there, Jan. 16, 1838, EMELINE DAVIS ROGERS, daughter of Shubael Gorham and Mary (Davis) Rogers, born in Gloucester, Sept. 27, 1816; died in Gloucester, Sept. 19, 1844, aged 27 years, 11 months, 22 days. He was a trader and died in Gloucester, Mar. 13 or 30, 1863. John L. Babson, his brother, was appointed administrator

and stated that he left no widow but two daughters, Emeline R. Babson and Maria R. Babson. (*Essex Probate*, 31741).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 317—I. EMELINE ROGERS⁹, b. Mar. 31, 1839; m. June 8, 1869, William Hovey Friend of San Francisco, Calif.
- 318—II. MARIA ROGERS, b. Apr. 12, 1840; d. May 1, 1913.
- 319—III. Daughter, d. Sept. 16, 1844, aged 3y. 2d.
- 320—IV. Son, b. Aug. 27, 1844; d. Sept. 17, 1844.

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JOHN LOW⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 31, 1812; died in Gloucester, Jan. 9, 1898, a widower, aged 85 years, 9 months, 9 days. He married in Gloucester, Mar. 14, 1836, MARY DAY HODGKINS, daughter of James and Isabel (Day) Hodgkins of Gloucester, baptized there July 31, 1816; died in Gloucester, Aug. 1, 1893, aged 78 years, 2 months, 12 days. He was a trader and lived in Gloucester.

Elmer W. Babson of Gloucester, a grandson, petitioned to be administrator *de bonis non*, stating that Edward Babson is now deceased, Feb. 18, 1910. The heirs were: Mary L. Jackman, Louise Bates, Emma B. Curtiss, Ernest S. Curtiss, Lizzie S. Curtiss, Alfred H. Curtiss, Edna B. Griffin, Hattie C. Reed, Albert D. Babson and Florence W. Babson, guardian for Alice E. Babson. (*Essex Probate*, 82002).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 321—I. JOHN LOW⁹, b. about 1837.
- 322—II. ELIZA GORHAM, b. Aug. 22, 1838; m. in Gloucester, Nov. 25, 1860, Samuel Curtiss, Jr.
- 323—III. EDWARD, b. Sept. 11, 1844.
- 324—IV. OSMAN, b. about 1847.
- 325—V. MARY L., b. Nov. 19, 1850; m. in Gloucester, Dec. 3, 1900, Eneas William Jackman. Mary died Nov. 9, 1924. She was his second wife.

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ANNE ROGERS BABSON, born June 29, 1814; married May 11, 1835, to STEPHEN L. DAVIS.

Children:

- I. LUCY LOW (DAVIS), b. Nov. 4, 1847; m. John K. Dustin, Dec. 17, 1868; d. Mar. 6, 1916.
 - a. Anne Rogers, b. Sept. 20, 1871; m. Dr. Newton S. Bacon, Nov. 6, 1902, of Cambridge.
 - 1. Margaret, b. May 11, 1904.
 - 2. Roger B., b. June 9, 1907.
 - b. William Knight, b. June 22, 1873; d. Jan. 13, 1934; m. June 2, 1904, to Lillian S. Bradley of Gloucester.
 - 1. Eleanor, b. Dec. 16, 1913.
 - 2. John Knight, b. Aug. 3, 1918.

- c. Florence, b. Jan. 9, 1875; d. Dec. 16, 1926; m. Dr. Alan S. Burnham, Oct. 4, 1905, of Gloucester.
 - 1. Lucille, b. Aug. 25, 1907.
 - 2. Grace, b. June 21, 1909.
- d. Edith, b. Oct. 12, 1877; d. Mar. 5, 1914.
- e. Helen Cary, b. Jan. 23, 1885; m. Robert Wadsworth, June 16, 1910, at Youngstown, Ohio.
 - 1. Helen, b. Jan. 18, 1914.
 - 2. Harvey, b. Jan. 9, 1917.
- II. DAVID LOW DAVIS, b. Aug. 10, 1840; d. Nov. 11, 1911; m. H. Elizabeth Whitney.
 - a. Charles, b. Oct. 2, 1873; d. Nov. 17, 1930.
Three children:
 - 1. Robert.
 - 2. Whitney.
 - 3. Caroline.
 - b. Carrie, b. Mar. 20, 1876. Still living in Gloucester.

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CHARLES⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, May 13, 1817; married there, Nov. 25, 1841, CAROLINE SHAW, daughter of Moses Hale and Elizabeth (Hood) Shaw, born in Gloucester, Sept. 15, 1819. He was a ship-master and mariner and lived in Gloucester. One record states that Caroline Shaw was born in Salem. He died in Gloucester, Aug. 2, 1892, aged 75 years, 2 months, 20 days, a master mariner. She died in Gloucester, June 26, 1904, aged 84 years, 9 months, 11 days. They lived at 12 Middle Street.

Frank H. Babson died in Boston, May 27, 1885, leaving no widow nor children. His heirs were his father and mother, Charles and Caroline S. Babson of Gloucester.

Caroline S. Babson's heirs were her sons Charles Babson of Gloucester, Albert P. Babson of Cambridge, Waldo Babson and Moses S. Babson, both of Gloucester, Sept. 19, 1904. (*Essex Probate*, 95033).

Waldo Babson died in Gloucester, Aug. 23, 1917. He was a cigar dealer and left no widow. His heirs were Moses S. Babson of Gloucester and Albert P. Babson of Cambridge, brothers. (*Essex Probate*, 127715).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 326—I. CHARLES⁹, b. Sept. 26, 1845.
- 327—II. FRANK H. or F., b. Apr. 26, 1846; d. in Boston, May 27, 1885, unm.
- 328—III. ELIAS E., b. Aug. 27, 1848; probably d. young.
- 329—IV. WALTER, b. Mar. 2, 1854; d. May 31, 1856.
- 330—V. ALBERT PARSONS, b. —, 1855.
- 331—VI. WALDO, b. July 20, 1861; d. Aug. 23, 1917, unm.
- 332—VII. MOSES SHAW, b. Jan. 1, 1863.

GUSTAVUS⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 25, 1820; died in Gloucester, Oct. 25, 1897, a widower, aged 77 years, 8 months. He married in Gloucester, June 19, 1845, SUSANNA STANWOOD LOW, daughter of David and Lucy (Bennett-Stanwood) Low, born in Gloucester, Aug. 31, 1820; died in Gloucester, May 10, 1878. Her estate was administered upon, Oct. 27, 1884, by her husband, Gustavus Babson, who was a farmer and lived in Gloucester. (*Essex Probate*, 61318).

His heirs were his children: Gustavus Babson of Seward, Nebr., Nathaniel Babson, Susan Babson, Lucy S. Babson and Ann P. Alling, all of Gloucester. (*Essex Probate*, 81767).

Nathaniel Babson, John L. Babson, Stephen L. Davis and Ann R. Davis, his wife in her right, all of Gloucester, heirs of Eliza G. Babson, deceased, for \$3,000, sell Gustavus Babson of Gloucester, farmer, 5/6 of a dwelling house and barn near the Meeting House Green in the Town Parish of Gloucester, being the premises first described in a deed from Isaac Smith of Boston to John Low, Jr., of Gloucester, Dec. 18, 1779; also 5/6 of the Woods Pasture so called in the Town Parish containing ten cow rights,—the same conveyed by Benjamin Stacy to Nathaniel Babson, May 18, 1824; also 5/6 of the marsh adjoining Wolf Hill, being a part of the estate of Lucy Marshall and conveyed by Thomas Marshall to John Low, Jr., May 7, 1781; also 5/6 of the salt marsh on the north side of Israel's Rust's Island in Annisquam River, conveyed to Sarah Allen by Edward Low, Oct. 18, 1817; also 5/6 of Bull Island. This deed was signed by Nathaniel Babson, John L. Babson, Charles Babson, Stephen L. Davis, Ann R. Davis, Edward P. Ring, Eliza G. Ring, Mary, wife of John L. Babson and Caroline, the wife of Charles Babson, Feb. 10, 1863. (*Essex Deeds*, 679:232).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 333—I. GUSTAVUS⁹, b. Apr. 23, 1848; living in Seward, Nebr., 1884.
- 334—II. NATHANIEL, b. Jan. 2, 1850.
- 335—III. SUSAN, b. Nov. 18, 1852; alive in 1934.
- 336—IV. GEORGE L., b. Jan. 15, 1855.
- 337—V. ANN P., b. Jan. 15, 1858; m. in Gloucester, Dec. 21, 1884, Charles S. Alling of Seward, Nebr. She was living May 22, 1925 and administered upon the estate of Sanford E. Babson of Los Angeles, Calif., in Essex County.
- 338—VI. ELIZABETH L., b. Nov. 6, 1859; d. in Gloucester, Oct. 25, 1892, unm. Her father was called her sole heir.
- 339—VII. LUCY STANWOOD, b. May 17, 1864; m. in Gloucester, Feb. 19, 1901, William M. Jelly.

EDWIN⁸ BABSON, born in West Newbury, June 17, 1831; married in Amesbury, Sept. 3, 1857, ANNETTE FRENCH MORRILL, daughter

of Ichabod B. and Ethelinda (French) Morrill, born in Amesbury, in 1831. He died in Newburyport, Apr. 13, 1879. His heirs were his widow, Annette F. Babson, his son, James Babson of Newburyport, his daughter, Imogene W. Morrill of Oxford, Ohio, and his son Francis M. Babson of Newburyport (*Essex Probate*, 71720). She died in Newburyport, Jan. 26, 1926, 91 years, 10 months. Her heirs were James Babson of Atlantic City, a son, Imogene W. Morrill of Berkeley, Calif., a daughter, Francis M. Babson of Cambridge, a son. Valuation, \$7,583. (*Essex Probate*, 154125).

Children, born in Amesbury:

- 340—I. JAMES⁹, b. Aug. 31, 1858.
- 341—II. IMOGENE WILLIAMS, b. Apr. 28, 1860; m. in Newburyport, Aug. 28, 1883, Prof. William Augustus Merrill, son of Oliver B. and Amanda F. (Edgerly) Merrill.
- 342—III. EDWIN MORRILL, b. Aug. 2, 1866; drowned May 29, 1873.
- 343—IV. FRANCIS MORRILL, b. Sept. —, 1874.

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WASHINGTON⁸ BABSON, born in Portland, Me., about 1824; married in Providence, R. I., June 5, 1851, CORDELIA KNIGHT. He enlisted from Westbrook, Me., as a private in Co. E, 25th Maine Infantry, Sept. 29, 1862, Civil War. He was living in his father's family in 1850 in Portland and called himself 26 years of age.

Child, born in Portland:

- 344—I. FREDERICK CLIFFORD⁹, b. Aug. 26, 1853.

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DAVID⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, about 1801; died in Rockport, Dec. 26, 1869, aged 68 years, 2 months, 1 day; married in Gloucester, Jan. 2, 1831, CLARA LANE, daughter of Gideon and Hannah (Griffin) Lane, born in Annisquam, Feb. 13, 1796; died in Gloucester, Apr. 15, 1873, aged 76 years, 3 months.

Charlotte Babson of Rockport, widow, for \$100 sells Joseph Babson of Rockport her rights of dower in 12 acres in Rockport on the northerly side of the road leading from Sandy Bay Village to Folly Cove with the buildings thereon standing, June 27, 1853. (*Essex Deeds*, 482:153).

David Babson and Gorham Babson, both of Rockport, merchants, Horatio Babson of Rockport, mariner, and Susan Babson of Rockport, gentlewoman, for \$1,000, sell Joseph Babson of Rockport, all rights in 12 acres being a part of the estate of David Babson, deceased, Apr. 25, 1853. This deed was signed by David Babson and Clara L. Babson, his wife, by Gorham Babson and Mary D. Babson, his wife, by Horatio Babson and Mary N. Babson, his wife, and by Susanna Babson. (*Ibid.* 482:153).

Joseph Babson of Rockport sells Ezra Perkins of Essex a part of the estate of David Babson, deceased, in Rockport, June 27, 1853. (*Ibid.* 482:154).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 345—I. CLARA AUGUSTA⁹, b. Oct. 13, 1831; m. Jan. 1, 1855, George W. Walen of Rockport.
- 346—II. DAVID CLIFFORD, b. Jan. 1, 1834.
- 347—III. CHARLES F., b. about Mar. 18, 1839.
- 348—IV. CHARLOTTE F., b. about 1840; m. Horatio Babson, Jr.

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GORHAM⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 27, 1808; died in Rockport, Feb. 15, 1862, aged 56. He married in Gloucester, Sept. 26, 1830, MARY D. HARADEN, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary D. Haraden. She died in Gloucester, Nov. 21, 1883, aged 75 years, 16 days. He lived in Rockport and was Collector of Customs for the District of Gloucester. Susan Luere of Boston left a bequest to John Luere Babson, son of Gorham Babson of Rockport, who was appointed his son's guardian, Sept. 1, 1846. (*Essex Probate*, 31732). Gorham⁸ Babson was representative for Gloucester, 1832-1834.

Gorham Babson's heirs were Mary D. Babson, his widow, and John Luere Babson, George Babson, Nathaniel H. Babson, Alphonso H. Babson, and Frank B. Babson, sons, all of Rockport. In 1891, John L. and George were living in Chelsea, Nathaniel H. in Rockport and Frank B. in Boston. (*Essex Probate*, 31725).

Children, born at Pigeon Cove in Rockport:

- 349—I. JOHN LUERE⁹, b. Aug. 31, 1831.
- 350—II. GEORGE, b. —, 1835.
- 351—III. NATHANIEL HARADEN, b. —, 1839.
- 352—IV. ALPHONSO M., b. —, 1840.
- 353—V. WILLIAM DAVIS, b. July 16, 1841; d. June 6, 1844.
- 354—VI. FRANCIS (FRANK) BROWN, b. Apr. 11, 1844; living in Boston, 1891.
- 355—VII. CHARLES GORHAM, b. Dec. 28, 1846; d. Sept. 10, 1847.

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HORATIO⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester in 1807; baptized there, Apr. 27, 1808; died in Rockport, May 21, 1871, aged 64 years, 1 month, 6 days; married in Gloucester, Sept. 1, 1829, MARY (NORWOOD) POOL, daughter of Caleb and Rebecca Pool, born in Rockport about 1814. She died in Rockport, Dec. 9, 1886, aged 72 years, 9 months, 6 days. They lived in the North Village of Rockport, which was set off from Gloucester and incorporated Feb. 27, 1840. He was a mariner and a trader.

His heirs were: Mary N. Babson, his widow, and Ada B. Dennison of E. Cambridge and Emily B. Choate of E. Cambridge, daugh-

ters, Horatio Babson, Jr., of Gloucester and David Babson, 2nd., of Rockport and Charles P. Babson of Rockport, sons, Anna B. Cannon of New York, and Adelia B. Hartwell of E. Cambridge, daughters, Mar. 6, 1872. (*Essex County Probate*, 31726).

The heirs of Mary N. Babson, widow, who died in Rockport, Dec. 9, 1886, were Ada Dennison, wife of George W. Dennison of Rockport, David Babson of Rockport, Charles P. Babson of Rockport, Emily Choate, wife of David Choate, Anna Cannon, wife of Madison Cannon of Brooklyn, N. Y., Horatio Babson of Rockport and Adelia Hartwell, wife of J. Edwin Hartwell of Rockport. (*Essex Probate*, 65237).

He was part owner of the schooner *Pilot* which was lost Dec. 20, 1860 and of the schooner *Mary D. Babson*, lost near Old House Cove, Mar. 21, 1861.

Children, born in what is now Rockport:

- 356—I. ADA⁹, b. —, 1830; m. Dec. 22, 1859, George W. Dennison of California; living in E. Cambridge, 1872.
- 357—II. EMILY, b. —, 1834; m. Dec. 26, 1852, David L. Choate, of Rockport and E. Cambridge.
- 358—III. HORATIO, JR., b. —, 1838.
- 359—IV. DAVID, 2D., b. Mar. 29, 1840.
- 360—V. DANIEL, b. about 1841; d. May 10, 1890, aged 49y.
- 361—VI. ADELIA, b. Aug. 10, 1845; m. Dec. 25, 1868, Edwin Hartwell of Cambridge.
- 362—VII. CHARLES POOLE, b. Nov. 3, 1848.
- 363—VIII. ANNA, b. Mar. 5, 1851; m. Dec. 8, 1870, Madison M. Cannon of Hoboken, N. J.
- 364—IX. EDWARD, b. Mar. 27, 1853; d. Apr. 4, 1865.

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JOSEPH⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 4, 1809; died in Rockport, Mar. 8, 1878; married (1) in Gloucester, Oct. 11, 1830, MARIA WOODBURY, daughter of Capt. John and Tabatha (Poore) Woodbury, born in Newburyport, Nov. 21, 1810; died in Rockport, Feb. 29, 1872. He married (2) Apr. 2, 1873, widow MARY (McCRAE) McDONALD, daughter of Norman and Mary McCrae. She was a native of Scotland. They lived at Pigeon Cove in Rockport. He was a fisherman.

His heirs were his widow Mary Babson, his daughters Edith Babson, wife of John L. Babson, Helen Wheeler, wife of Roscoe Wheeler of Stockton, Calif., Margaret Woodbury, wife of Nathaniel Woodbury of Gloucester, Clarissa Smith, wife of Solomon Smith of Rockport, Susanna Clifford, wife of Fred Clifford of Somerville, Mary M. Poole, wife of John Poole of Rockport, and Maria Babson, a minor, three years of age of Rockport and his sons David W. Babson of Rockport and Joseph N. Babson of Boston. (*Essex Probate*, 31735).

Mary Babson, widow of Joseph, died in Boston, Mar. 10, 1912, aged 79 years, 2 months. She was the daughter of Norman and Mary (Matheson) McCrae, born in Grand River, C. B. Her parents were both born in Scotland. (*Mass. Deaths, 1912*, Vol. 9, p. 344).

Children, born in what is now Rockport:

- 365—I. MARIA JOSEPHINE⁹, b. May 4, 1832; m. Mar. 20, 1854, William Dennison; d. July 22, 1854.
- 366—II. EDITH, b. Oct. 1, 1833; m. John Luere Babson.
- 367—III. HELEN MARR, b. Aug. 2, 1835; m. Roscoe Wheeler; removed to Stockton, Calif.; left Pigeon Cove, Jan. 1, 1861; in San Francisco, Cal., in 1892.
- 368—IV. MARGARET, b. Jan. 27, 1837; m. Feb. 4, 1858, Nathaniel Woodbury of Folly Cove.
- 369—V. CLARISSA CARTER, b. Mar. 17, 1839; m. (1) Charles Albert Smith; m. (2) Solomon Smith.
- 370—VI. DAVID WALLACE, b. Mar. 31, 1841.
- 371—VII. JOSEPH, b. Sept. 21, 1843; d. Mar. —, 1844, aged 6 m.
- 372—VIII. MARY MOODY, b. Feb. 12, 1845; m. Dec. 18, 1873, John James Poole.
- 373—IX. SUSANNA, b. June 4, 1847; m. Sept. 25, 1876, Frederick Dudley Clifford; living in E. Hampton, 1892.
- 374—X. KATE ELIZABETH HALE, b. May 18, 1849; d. Apr. —, 1852.
- 375—XI. GRACE, b. Sept. 19, 1851; d. June —, 1852.
- 376—XII. JOSEPH NEY, b. Dec. 26, 1852; in Montreal, Can., in 1892.

Child by second wife, born in Rockport:

- 377—XIII. MARIA, b. Oct. 4, 1874; living in E. Hampton, 1892; m. Oct. 4 1921, Fred R. Cushing.

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ISAAC⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 6, 1804; died in Rockport, Feb. 8, 1874, aged 67 years, 3 months, 9 days; married in Gloucester, Oct. 3, 1829, MARY WITHAM, daughter of Zebulon Witham, born in Gloucester, Apr. 18, 1808; died in Rockport, Jan. 27, 1899, a widow, aged 90 years, 9 months, 9 days. He was a farmer and lived in Rockport.

Children, born in Gloucester (now Rockport):

- 378—I. BETSEY JANE⁹, b. Mar. 20, 1830; m. Oct. 12, 1850, William S. Day; living in Rockport, Mar. 6, 1899.
- 379—II. MARY ANN, b. Aug. 28, 1831; m. July 9, 1853, Dudley C. Blatchford. Her daughter Grace of Gorham, Me., 1899.
- 380—III. OLIVE, b. Dec. 9, 1832.
- 381—IV. ELIZA, b. Aug. 9, 1834; m. Dec. 27, 1857, Philip Conley, a native of Ireland; living in Rockport, 1899.
- 382—V. ISAAC NEWTON, b. Oct. 23, 1836; living in Rockport, 1899.
- 383—VI. GEORGE WITHAM, b. June 24, 1838; d. in Rockport, Feb. 25, 1881, unkm.
- 384—VII. SYLVANUS BROWN, b. Dec. 11, 1840.
- 385—VIII. LEVI W., b. Mar. 10, 1851; d. Aug. 22, 1887, unkm.

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DANIEL TARR⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 12, 1814; inherited his father's homestead in Gloucester in 1839; died in Gloucester, Oct. 4, 1886, aged 72 years, 3 months, 22 days. He married in Gloucester, Oct. 10, 1851, NANCY DERBY, daughter of John and Susan (Atkinson) Derby, born in Salem, July 19, 1817; died in Gloucester, Dec. 12, 1919. Her father was a gunner on board the *Constitution* in 1812. Daniel Tarr was a painter and lived in Gloucester.

His heirs were his widow, Nancy D. Babson and his children Joseph, Isabelle D., Daniel T., Walter C., Julia A. and Luther D. Babson—all of Gloucester. His homestead was on the westerly side of Washington Street in Gloucester. (*Essex County Probate*, 64021).

Nancy D. Babson, widow, of Gloucester made her will, Apr. 22, 1904, which was proved June 10, 1920.

Julia A. Babson made her will Sept. 27, 1923, which was proved Dec. 12, 1924. (*Ibid.* 150159).

Nancy (Derby) Babson was born in Salem, July 21, 1817, the daughter of John and Mary (Atkinson) Derby and died in Gloucester, Dec. 12, 1919, aged 102 years, 4 months, 21 days. (*Massachusetts Deaths, 1919*, Vol. 50, p. 177).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 386—I. JOSEPH⁹, b. Sept. 12, 1852.
- 387—II. ISABELLA D., b. Feb. 3, 1854; unm., June 10, 1920.
- 388—III. DANIEL TARR, b. Oct. 17, 1855.
- 389—IV. WALTER C., b. Mar. 14, 1857.
- 390—V. JULIA A., b. May 18, 1859; June 10, 1920; d. Sept. 5, 1924, unm.
- 391—VI. LUTHER D., b. June 27, 1861.

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JOSEPH HENRY⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 3, 1823; died there, Nov. 17, 1872, aged 49 years, 5 months; married in Boston, Oct. 1, 1856, JANE MARIA DANIELS, daughter of Edward and Maria Daniels, born in Gloucester, June 18, 1837. He was a trader and a housewright and lived in Gloucester. His widow was appointed guardian to the three surviving children, Aug. 3, 1874. (*Essex Probate*, 31721). She married (2) in Gloucester, Dec. 24, 1875, JOSIAH OBEAR, son of Josiah and Elizabeth (Heackill) Obear of Beverly.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 392—I. EMMA⁹, b. Dec. 23, 1857; in Gloucester, Oct. 2, 1882, as his second wife, William Fred Hadley.
- 393—II. HANNAH B., Sept. 30, 1858; d. Oct. 19, 1870.
- 394—III. SIDNEY M., b. June 24, 1860; d. Apr. 26, 1871.

- 395—IV. JENNIE D., b. May 28, 1863; m. June 20, 1886, Charles G. Johnston, a master mariner.
 396—V. HERMANN F., b. May 22, 1872.

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FITZ JAMES⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1828; died in Middlefield, June 25, 1893, aged 65 years, 4 months, 11 days. He married (1) in Gloucester, Aug. 18, 1850, SARAH ELIZABETH PROCTOR, daughter of Joseph and Sally Proctor, born in Gloucester, Feb. 3, 1830; died in Gloucester, May 24, 1882, aged 52 years, 3 months, 20 days. He married (2) in Middlefield, July 14, 1885, MARY JANE McELWAIN, daughter of Jonathan and Mary S. (Smith) McElwain, born about 1858. She married (2) in Middlefield, June 2, 1896, Clark Brainard Wright of Middlefield. He was a carpenter and a farmer. Fitz James Babson was a representative for Gloucester, 1858, 1860 and for Middlefield, 1891.

Sarah E. Babson died in Gloucester. On July 3, 1893, there were the following heirs, viz., Fitz J. Babson, her husband, now deceased; Mary B. Friend, wife of George Friend of Middlefield, a daughter; Fitz J. Babson of Gloucester, a son; Annie A. Burnham, Mary G. Burnham and Maud B. Burnham, minors and grandchildren. Elias P. Burnham, guardian of the grandchildren, was appointed administrator. (*Essex Probate*, 74473).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 397—I. MARY⁹, b. Jan. 7, 1851; m. Feb. 14, 1878, George F. Friend of Gloucester.
 398—II. ANN E., b. July 15, 1853; m. Dec. 25, 1871, Elias P. Burnham.
 399—III. FITZ JAMES, b. Oct. 27, 1857.

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JAMES⁸ BABSON, born and baptized in Gloucester, June 17, 1804; died there, a widower, Jan. 2, 1876, aged 74; married in Gloucester, Oct. 20, 1826, MARY MOORS MEDLEY, daughter of Jonathan and Abigail Medley, born in Gloucester, Apr. 16, 1804; died there, Aug. 3, 1866, aged 61 years, 3 months, 18 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 400—I. JAMES⁹, b. Apr. 24, 1828.
 401—II. MARY ELIZABETH, b. June —, 1830; m. Dec. 3, 1848, James Hillier, Jr., of Gloucester.
 402—III. JOSEPH W., b. Sept. 22, 1831; d. Oct. 6, 1849, aged 18y.; lost in the schooner *Levi Woodbury* near Boon Island with nine others.
 403—IV. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 12, 1833; m. June 15, 1851, Albert A. Holland of Belfast, Me.
 404—V. EMELINE, b. July 2, 1834.
 405—VI. PHILIP, b. Mar. 26, 1837.
 406—VII. MARIA, b. Jan. 15, 1841.
 407—VIII. SAMUEL W. b. Dec. 15, 1842.

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PHILIP⁸ BABSON, born in Gloucester about 1812; died in Gloucester, Aug. 1, 1872, aged 59 years, 10 months, called "son of Philip and Betsey." He married in Gloucester, June 9, 1834, ELIZA BLATCHFORD, daughter of Nathaniel and Abigail (Cloughlin) Blatchford, born in Gloucester, Dec. 10, 1816; died in Gloucester, a widow, Nov. 10, 1889, aged 72 years, 11 months. He was a fisherman and a master mariner.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 408—I. CLEMENTINA⁹, b. July 2, 1841; m. Aug. 5, 1855, Sidney Larock (Laroque) of Gloucester.
- 409—II. SARAH ELIZA, b. Aug. 20, 1844; m. Apr. 27, 1864, William Phalen, Jr.
- 410—III. NICHOLAS POOR, b. Apr. 15, 1846.
- 411—IV. LIZZIE C., b. —, 1856; d. July 27, 1864, aged 9y., 19d. There may have been other children born between 1835 and 1841.

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JAMES⁸ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, Jan. 10, 1812; died in Cohasset, Feb. 2, 1858, a widower, aged 45. He was a sailmaker. He married in Boston, Sept. 22, 1836, MARIA ANTOINETTE WOOD of Attleborough, daughter of Ziba and Nancy (Shaw) Wood of Bridgewater. She married (2) in Cohasset, Aug. 30, 1874, as his second wife, Timothy W. Brown of Gloucester. Mr. Babson lived in Cohasset and Chelsea.

Children, born in Cohasset, except the seventh:

- 412—I. MARIA JANE⁹, b. Sept. 23, 1837; m. Nov. 22, 1859, Warren S. Gammons of Brewster.
- 413—II. JAMES HENRY, b. June 22, 1840; d. Apr. 10 or 11, 1845.
- 414—III. NANCY CAROLINE, b. Nov. 11, 1842; d. Apr. 3, 1845.
- 415—IV. NANCY CAROLINE, 2D., b. Jan. 3, 1845; m. Jan. 28, 1861, Daniel Lincoln Wood of Cohasset.
- 416—V. MARY LYDIA, b. Oct. 18, 1846; m. Nov. 23, 1865, Thomas Lincoln, Jr., of Cohasset.
- 417—VI. LAURA ANN, b. Oct. 21, 1848; m. Aug. 30, 1868, Charles Burritt Hayes of Chelsea.
- 418—VII. JAMES H., b. Oct. 4, 1851, in Chelsea; d. Jan. 4, 1854.
- 419—VIII. WILLIAM HENRY, b. in 1852; d. June 5, 1854, in Cohasset.

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WILLIAM H.⁸ BABSON, born in Boston, about 1817; died in Boston, May 18, 1857, aged 40. He was a tailor. He married as early as 1844, JANE ——. He lived in Boston and was a tailor 1842 to 1846.

Children, first born in Dover, N. H.:

- 420—I. WILLIAM HENRY⁹, b. Sept. 1, 1845; d. in Boston, June 3, 1849.

- 429—II. LIZZIE F., b. Mar. 7, 1851, in Boston; d. in Lincoln, May 14, 1863, aged 12y., 2m., 7d.
- 430—III. ELIZA, b. Boston, Mar. 11, 1853.
- 431—IV. EMMA E., b. in Boston about 1857; m. in Middleborough, Oct. 30, 1875, Clarence E. White of Middleborough.

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JOSEPH⁸ BABSON, 3D., born in Newburyport, Aug. 25, 1803; died there, Nov. 7, 1829, aged 26 years. He married in Newburyport, July 10, 1829, SARAH ELIZA WOODBURY of Gloucester, daughter of Joshua and Sarah (Atkins) Woodbury, born in Gloucester, June 9, 1804; died in Chelsea, Mar. 30, 1866.

Sarah Eliza Babson, widow, of Newburyport was appointed administratrix of the estate of Joseph Babson, Jr., Dec. 29, 1829. William Collins was appointed guardian to the only child of the deceased, Mar. 29, 1831. (*Essex County Probate*, 1191).

Child, born in Newburyport:

- 432—I. JOSEPH EDWARD⁹, b. May 27, 1830; William Collins of Gloucester, blockmaker, appointed his guardian, Mar. 29, 1831. (*Essex Probate*, 1193) and William Collins being dead, his mother, Sarah E. Babson of Gloucester was appointed his guardian, Sept. 9, 1845. (*Ibid.* 31736). He died in Chelsea, Apr. 19, 1875, unm. He made a will, 7 Dec. 1874, in which he gave all of his property to Caroline W. Clinkard of Melrose and appointed her executrix. (*Middlesex Probate*, 289).

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JOHN BALCH⁸ BABSON, born in Newburyport, May 25, 1805; entered his marriage intention there with ABIGAIL GREENLEAF, Mar. 24, 1830, but their marriage was forbidden. He was a surety on the bond of Samuel Newman to settle his father's estate *de bonis non*, Mar. 30, 1830. Not later referred to in either Newburyport or Gloucester Vital Records.

John B. Babson and Minerva Babson, his wife, of Greenport, Long Island, N. Y., said John being now in New London, Conn., for \$50 sells David Babson of New York City land in Newburyport, with the dwelling house thereon * * * being the same premises formerly belonging to my father Joseph Babson, Jr., (2nd), painter, deceased and all rights which I have in the widow's dower. This deed was signed by John B. Babson and Minerva Babson, May 14, 1836 and acknowledged at New London on the same day. (*Essex County Deeds*, 289:122).

This shows that John Balch Babson removed from Newburyport to Greenport on Shelter Island at the east end of Long Island and had married after Mar. 24, 1830, a wife whose christian name was Minerva and that he was temporarily located in New London, Conn., May 14, 1836. Family not found.

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DAVID⁸ BABSON, born in Newburyport, Jan. 9, 1807; surety on the bond of his mother and a housewright of Newburyport, Mar. 31, 1829. (*Essex Probate*, 1175).

He was living in New York City as the deed of his brother John Balch Babson to him dated, May 14, 1836, shows. He was living as late as Feb. 15, 1848.

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JAMES MUNROE⁸ BABSON, born in Newburyport, July 13, 1817; died there, May 8, 1847, aged 30 years. He married in Hampstead, N. H., Aug. 2, 1840. MARY ANN BABB, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary (Noyes) Babb, born in Hampstead, July 13, 1820. He was shoemaker and they lived in Methuen 1843 to 1846.

Children, first born in Hampstead, second in Methuen:

- 433—I. MARY A.⁹, b. in —, 1841; d. in Methuen, May 23, 1846.
434—II. EDWARD, b. Apr. 17, 1843.

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GEORGE W.⁸ BABSON, born in Sedgwick, Me., about June 1818; died in South Hampton, N. H., Feb. 18, 1896, aged 77 years, 8 months; buried in Newburyport. He married (1) in Newburyport, July 18, 1843, ALMIRA M. LONG, daughter of Caleb Long, born in Kingston, N. H., about 1818; died in Newburyport, Apr. 22, 1866, aged 48 years. He married (2) in Newburyport, Dec. 17, 1874, MARY ANN CLARK, daughter of Allen and Rebecca Clark, born in Nova Scotia about 1831. He was a joiner or a ship-carpenter and lived in Newbury and Newburyport.

Children, by first wife, born in Newburyport:

- 435—I. GEORGE MOODY⁹, b. July 19, 1843.
436—II. MARTHA A., b. in 1845; m. June 17, 1869, Herbert Morse Brown of Newburyport.
437—III. HARRIET E., b. May 12, 1848; d. in W. Newbury, Feb. 10, 1890, aged 41y., 8m., unkm.
438—IV. FRANCES M., b. July 26, 1849; d. in Newbury, Mar. 6, 1851.
439—V. GEORGE, b. Jan. 28, 1852.
440—VI. LUTHER F. D., b. Oct. 18, 1857; d. May 16, 1860.
440a—VII. CHARLES O., d. in Newburyport, June 21, 1930, unkm.

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SETH⁸ BABSON, born presumably in Sedgwick, Me., was living in Sacramento, Calif., June 14, 1866, as appears by a deed from his father and mother of that date. (*Essex County Deeds*, 705:299).

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JOSEPH B.⁸ BABSON, born in Sedgwick (now Brooklin), Me., about 1839. He enlisted from Brooklin as corporal in Co. H., Fourth Maine Infantry, Nov. 9, 1861 and was promoted First Sergeant of his company. He was selectman of Brooklin, 1880-83 and 1888 to 91. He was a farmer, living in Brooklin in 1910 on Babson's Ridge. His wife was ANN J. (TIBBETTS) HERRICK, and was also living in 1910.

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RODNEY RODOLPH⁸ BABSON, born in Brooklin, Me., about 1849; died in Quincy, June 14, 1928, aged 79 years, 23 days. He married GENEVA E. STAPLES, who survived him. His remains were buried in Brooklin.

Children, born in Brooklin:

- I. RAY⁹, alive Jan. 7, 1889.
- II. HAROLD, alive Jan. 7, 1889.

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CHARLES L.⁸ BABSON, born in Brooklin, Me., Sept. —, 1840; married Nov. 7, 1866, GEORGIANNA A. HERRICK, daughter of Capt. Shadrach and Elizabeth (Griffin) Herrick, born in Brooklin, Me., Jan. 8, 1846. He served in Co. K., 16th Maine Regiment in the Civil War and lost his right leg in the battle of Fredericksburg. From 1870 to 1885, he was keeper of the lighthouse on Pumpkin Island in Penobscot Bay. He was selectman of Brooklin, 1864; town clerk, 1864-5 and town treasurer for the same period. In 1910, he was proprietor of summer cottages and lived in Sedgwick.

Children:

- 441—I. ERNEST E.⁹, b. Aug. —, 1867; living in Brooksville, 1910.
- 442—II. ELIZABETH B., b. Jan. —, 1869; m. ——— Dow of Brooksville, Me.
- 443—III. WILLIAM K., b. Apr. 18, 1872. (*Herrick Genealogy*, 189).

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JOHN W.⁸ BABSON, born in 1835 or 1836, in Brooksville, Me. He married (2) in Boston, Sept. 1, 1868, ELIZA A. TIBBETTS, daughter of Noah N. and Elvira Tibbetts, born in Brooksville, about 1839. He probably married (1) LOUISA T. ———, who was the mother of his son, born in Brooksville, about 1860.

Child, by Louisa T., born in Brooksville:

- 444—I. EUGENE ST. L.⁹, b. about 1860; d. in Lynn, Feb. 28, 1887, aged 27y., unm. He was a physician.

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CHARLES⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 26, 1845; married (1) in Gloucester, July 22, 1869, MARY E. COAS (Coos), daughter

of William and Almira (Norwood) Coas, born in Gloucester about 1849; died there, Jan. 30, 1874, aged 24 years, 5 months, 15 days. He married (2) in Gloucester, Nov. 18, 1875, EMMA COOPER, daughter of Nicholas and Elizabeth Cooper, born in Effingham, N. H., about 1851; died in Gloucester, Mar. 20, 1883, aged 31 years, 8 months, 16 days. He married (3) in Cambridge, Sept. 3, 1885, MARY E. LANE, daughter of Dennis and Johanna Lane, born in Cambridge, about 1862. They lived in Gloucester and after 1885, in Cambridge and Boston. He died in Boston, Sept. 28, 1909, aged 65 years; buried in Gloucester.

Children, by second wife, born in Gloucester:

- 445—I. Daughter¹⁰, d. May 16, 1876, aged 1d.
- 446—II. EDWARD FRANK, b. July 22, 1878.
- 447—III. CARRIE L., b. Nov. 25, 1882; d. May 22, 1883, aged 5m., 27d.

Children, by the third wife, born in Cambridge:

- 448—IV. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. Apr. 5, 1887.
- 449—V. MAUD GERTRUDE, b. Jan. 30, 1889; m. Oct. 1, 1915, Homer C. Jackson.
- 450—VI. FREDERICK, b. Dec. 7, 1893.
- 451—VII. GEORGE VALENTINE, b. Feb. 14, 1897.
- 452—VIII. JOHN JOSEPH, b. Mar. 5, 1901.

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ERASTUS WALCOTT⁹ BABSON, born in Coventry, R. I., Oct. 3, 1827; married July 5, 1848, ADELINE PRAY, daughter of William Pray of Foster, R. I. He served in the Civil War in Company A, 12th Rhode Island Volunteers for ten months. They were living in Providence R. I., in 1869. He died there, Feb. 21, 1884, aged 56 years.

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ELISHA JAMES⁹ BABSON, born in Smithfield, R. I., Feb. 20, 1834; married in Oxford, Nov. 28, 1856, MARY ANN CHADWICK, daughter of James Chadwick, who lived in England. They lived in Plainfield, Conn., 1869. He served in the Civil War in Company A, 6th Connecticut Volunteers for three years. They were living in Webster, in 1856. He married (2) ADELAIDE M. HASKELL, daughter of Capt. John and Rebecca (Amidon) Haskell. She died in Webster, as his widow, Oct. 28, 1927, aged 86 years, 7 months, 12 days.

Children, by first wife:

- 453—I. EMMA FRANCES¹⁰, b. in Webster, Jan. 25, 1858.
- 454—II. MARY LUCILLA, b. and d. in Oct., 1859.
- 455—III. ELLSWORTH CHADWICK, b. in Pomfret, Conn., Apr. 5, 1862.

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ISAAC HOLDEN⁹ BABSON, born in Smithfield, R. I., Dec. 19, 1835; died in Northbridge, Apr. 7, 1892, aged 56 years, 3 months, 19 days. He married (1) in Webster, Apr. 7, 1861, SARAH ADELAIDE BRADFORD, daughter of Thomas and Sophronia Bradford, of Canterbury, Conn. She died in Dedham, Apr. 15, 1872, aged 40 years, 9 months, 4 days. He married (2) in Oxford, Sept. 11, 1872, EMILY E. LARNED, daughter of Simon and Louisa (Whittemore) Larned, born in Oxford, Aug. 23, 1847. He served in the Civil War in Company K, 18th Connecticut Volunteers for two months and was discharged for ill health. He was a mechanic and lived in Danielsonville, Conn., Windham, Conn., Killingly, Dedham and Whitinsville. She married (2) in Oxford, Sept. 6, 1898, George C. Child.

Children, by first wife:

- 456—I. ELLA MARIA¹⁰, b. in Windham, Oct. 25, 1863; m. in Uxbridge, May 3, 1894, Montore Gates of Princeton.
 457—II. CHARLES BRADFORD, b. in Killingly, June 15, 1868.

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GEORGE MAY⁹ BABSON, born in Thompson or Killingly, Conn., May 30, 1841; died in Melrose, Jan. 3, 1919, aged 77 years, 8 months, 3 days. He married (1) May 30, 1863, SARAH GAGE, of Woodstock, Conn. He married (2) SARAH MINERVA CRANDALL, daughter of Joseph and Ruth (Bradley) Crandall, who was born in Dickinson, N. Y., Aug. 22, 1843; died in Melrose, Sept. 22, 1919. (*Massachusetts Deaths, 1919*, Vol. 71, p. 412).

They lived in Hartford, Conn., Fond du Lac, Wis. and Melrose.

Child, by first wife, born in Hartford:

- 458—I. JENNIE ESTELLA¹⁰, b. June 4, 1865; m. in Southbridge, Oct. 9, 1883, John F. Gage of West Woodstock, Conn.

Child, by second wife, born in Fond du Lac:

- 459—II. GEORGE EUGENE, b. about 1873.

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HENRY WHITMAN⁹ BABSON, born in Woodstock, Conn., Oct. 9, 1843; married Aug. 9, 1862, JEANNETTE ELIZABETH MURRAY, daughter of John Murray of Killingly, Conn. He enlisted Aug. 9, 1862, in Company K, 18th Connecticut Volunteers and was discharged July 7, 1865. He was taken prisoner at the battle of Winchester, Va. and was confined in Libby and Belle Isle; was paroled and returned home; had typhoid fever and malaria, but returned to his Regiment and was in two engagements in the Shenandoah Valley. They lived in Southbridge, Mass., in 1869.

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WILLIAM⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 5, 1833; married in Boston, Jan. 19, 1861, MARY ISABEL WYMAN, daughter of Oliver C. and Helen D. (Powell) Wyman, born in Boston, Mar. 25, 1834. He was cashier of the Gloucester Bank.

Mary C. Babson made her will, Feb. 19, 1921, which was proved July 30, 1926. She appointed her sister Helen P. Babson executrix and her brother Robert T. Babson executor. They were the only heirs. Mary Isabel (Wyman) Babson died in Gloucester, Dec. 9, 1917, aged 83 years, 8 months, 14 days. He died in Gloucester, Jan. 8, 1919, aged 85 years, 2 months, 3 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 460—I. ROBERT TILLINGHAST¹⁰, b. Feb. 3, 1862.
- 461—II. MARY C., b. Jan. 18, 1864; d. July 19, 1926, unm.
- 462—III. WILLIAM, d. Jan. 9, 1867, aged 4m., 16d.
- 463—IV. HELEN P., b. Nov. 14, 1868; alive July 30, 1926.

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ROBERT EDWARD⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 17, 1837; married in Boston, July 6, 1874, FANNY WYMAN MAY, daughter of Silas and Salome (Tilden) May, born in Keene, N. H., about 1843. He was a teacher in 1874. She died in Boston, Sept. 22, 1877, aged 34 years, 2 months, 3 days. He was living in Arlington on Mar. 15, 1912. He graduated from Harvard University in 1856. He was head master of the English High School in Boston, 1894 and 1906. He died in Boston, Sept. 10, 1913, aged 75 years, 10 months, 23 days and his remains were buried in Oak Grove Cemetery in Gloucester.

Child, born in Boston:

- 464—I. MABEL¹⁰, b. Apr. 21, 1875; graduate of Wellesley College; m. in Arlington, Oct. 14, 1902, Rev. William S. W. Raymond.

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JOHN JAMES⁹ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, Feb. 13, 1854; died in Gloucester, June 3, 1890, aged 36 years, 3 months, 22 days. He married in Gloucester, July 19, 1877, ANNIE R. COOK, daughter of Edwin L. and Mary A. (Sayward) Cook, born in Gloucester about 1856. She married (2) in Gloucester, June 26, 1897, ANDREW W. BOHAKER, a native of Annapolis, N. S. She was living in Boston, Aug. 9, 1910.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 465—I. JOHN MASON¹⁰, b. Oct. 30, 1879; d. in West Roxbury, Aug. 9, 1910, unm. His mother Annie R. Babson was appointed his guardian, June 24, 1895. (*Essex Probate*, 77653). John Mason Babson of West Roxbury, auditor, d. Aug. 9, 1910, leaving no widow. His only heir-at-law was his mother, Annie R. Bohaker of Boston. (*Suffolk County Probate Record*, 972:406). Bond, \$1,000.

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EDWARD⁹ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, Sept. 30, 1839; died in Chelsea, June 26, 1880, aged 40 years, 11 months, 6 days. He was a merchant and lived in Chelsea. He married HARRIET CHAPIN, who was born in Rhode Island and survived him.

Edward Babson, Jr., of Chelsea made his will, July 21, 1876, which was proved Sept. 6, 1880. To his wife Hattie Chapin Babson, he gave his estate, knowing that she will provide for his two children, viz., Louise S. and Margaret C. He nominated his wife to be executrix. Witnesses: George W. Fisher, Ward N. Davis, Thomas M. Babson. (*Suffolk County Records*, 522:109). He died July 26, 1880. His heirs were his widow Harriet Chapin Babson, and Louisa Stainwood Babson and Margaret Chapin Babson, daughters. Thomas M. Babson was one of the sureties with George Willcomb. (522:417).

Children:

- 466—I. LOUISA STAINWOOD¹⁰, b. about 1864; m. in Chelsea, June 27, 1883, Walter Whittlesley, a native of Saybrook, Conn.
 467—II. MARGARET CHAPIN, b. in Chelsea, May 27, 1876; m. in Melrose, June 6, 1900, George William Carr, a native of Portland, Me.

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FRANCIS (FRANK) BROWN⁹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Apr. 11, 1844; lived in Rockport and Chelsea. He was living in Rockport, Nov. 28, 1895. He died single in Rockport, Aug. 28, 1901, aged 57 years, 11 months, 21 days.

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GEORGE F.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 19, 1862; died in Mount Vernon, N. Y., Mar. 4, 1890, without a wife and children. He made his will Dec. 27, 1888 in which he gave his property to his sisters Hannah S. Babson and Fanny G. Babson, both of Gloucester, and appointed Robert T. Babson of Boston his executor.

His heirs were Fanny G. Babson, a sister, and Isabel Lane, half-sister, and Frank Babson of San Diego, Cal., a half-brother, Armanda S. Davis and Margaret Babson of Cambridge, nieces of half blood. Edward B. Whittlesey, grand-nephew of one-half blood, etc. (*Essex Probate*, 69325).

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THOMAS McCRATE⁹ BABSON, born in Wiscasset, Me., May 28, 1847; married in Gloucester, June 30, 1890, HELEN STEVENS, daughter of Joseph L. and Caroline (Foster) Stevens, born in Gloucester, about 1852. He was a lawyer. He graduated at the Harvard Law School in 1868. He died in Boston (Jamaica Plain), Mar. 5, 1912, aged 64 years, 9 months, 7 days. He was a represen-

tative at Beacon Hill in 1877. He was corporation counsel for Boston.

Thomas M. Babson, deceased, left a widow Helen S. Babson, who prays to be guardian of his daughter Ruth S. Babson, born Mar. 15, 1895. Her petition was dated Feb. 11, 1914. She was appointed guardian and was released Oct. 30, 1917.

Helen Stevens Babson died in Gloucester, June 15, 1934, at age of 82 years. (*Suffolk Probate*, 1055:492). (*Ibid.* 1008:305).

Children, born in Boston:

- 468—I. ELEANOR¹⁰, b. Sept. 4, 1891.
 469—II. RUTH STEVENS, b. Mar. 15, 1895; graduated from Radcliffe, A.B., 1917, and from Harvard University, 1922, with the degree Ed.M. She m. Sept. 4, 1924, Edward Chase Kirkland, a teacher.

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EMELINE ROGERS BABSON, born Mar. 31, 1839; died Mar. 12, 1905; married June 15, 1869, WILLIAM HOVEY FRIEND.

1st Child:

- I. WILLIAM NAT, b. April 5, 1870; m. June 10, 1902, Anna C. Coyle. Was living in Oakland, California. Died July 17, 1934.

Children:

- a. Robert Coyle, b. April 26, 1904.
 b. Roger Babson, b. Mar. 16, 1906; m. Dec. 1, 1931, Jean Curtis.
 Child:
 1. Roger Babson, b. Oct. 20, 1933.
 c. Elizabeth Gorham, b. June 8, 1909.

2nd Child:

- II. ROGER BERRY, b. Dec. 8, 1873; d. Feb. 23, 1905.

MARIA ROGERS BABSON, born April 12, 1840; died May 1, 1913.

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JOHN LOW⁹ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester about 1837; accidentally shot in Gloucester, Oct. 27, 1866, aged 29 years, 10 months, 15 days. He married in Gloucester, July 27, 1860, AMANDA TUCKER, daughter of Jacob Gideon and Dorcas (Harvey) Tucker, born in Gloucester, Oct. 19, 1837. Edward Babson, Jr., of Gloucester, painter, stated that his brother John L. Babson, Jr., of Gloucester, painter, died Oct. 27, 1866, leaving a widow Amanda Babson and sons Harvey L. Babson and John L. Babson, both minors, Nov. 6, 1866. (*Essex Probate*, 31733). His widow died in Gloucester, Jan. 15, 1908, aged 70 years, 3 months, 26 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 470—I. AMANDA L.¹⁰, b. Dec. 31, 1860; d. Mar. 7, 1864.
 471—II. Son, b. Dec. 19, 1863; d. young.

472—III. HARVEY LOW, b. Dec. 16, 1864; d. Apr. 10, 1909, unm.

473—IV. JOHN LOW, 3D., b. Feb. 13, 1866.

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ELIZA GORHAM BABSON, born Aug. 22, 1838; married SAMUEL CURTIS, JR., Nov. 25, 1860. Eliza died Jan. 26, 1910. Samuel died Dec. 23, 1919.

Children:

- I. SAMUEL WALTER, b. Jan. 16, 1862; d. Jan. 21, 1862.
- II. LIZZIE SUMNER, b. Jan. 23, 1863.
- III. EMMA BABSON, b. May 13, 1864; d. July 28, 1912.
- IV. ERNEST SAMUEL, b. Nov. 10, 1867; m. Sept. 23, 1896, Alice May Hodgkins.

Child:

- a. Ernest Sumner Curtis, b. Sept. 30, 1901; m. Bernice Teresa Smith.

- V. LOUISE, b. Nov. 28, 1873; m. June 3, 1903, Clarence Kimball Bates:

Children:

- a. Emma Frances, b. Oct. 8, 1905; m. Paul Frederick Letteney, Jan. 3, 1929.

Children:

- 1. Cynthia, b. Feb. 25, 1930.
- 2. David Bates, b. Oct. 5, 1931.
- b. Mildred Kimball, b. Sept. 8, 1907; m. Sept. 17, 1932, Rev. Wm. John Darby.
- c. Curtis Shepherd, b. Sept. 8, 1910.

- VI. HENRY CARLTON, b. Nov. 4, 1875; d. Mar. 16, 1876.

- VII. ALFRED HENRY, b. Aug. 28, 1878; m. Maude Anna McKenney, Apr. 27, 1904.

Children:

- a. Robert Dana Curtis; b. May 2, 1905; m. Oct. 4, 1929, Eleanor Cummings Dodge.

Child:

- 1. Marilyn Ann; b. Aug. 4, 1931.
- b. Hester Babson, b. Jan. 19, 1907.
- c. George Malcolm, b. Dec. 17, 1908; d. May 28, 1922.
- d. Barbara Ellen, b. Sept. 4, 1911.
- e. Horace Appleton, b. July 28, 1916.

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EDWARD⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 11, 1844; married there, May 10, 1868, HARRIET PEARCE CHARD, daughter of Ezekiel W. and Betsey (Marchant-Lane) Chard, born in Gloucester, June 11, 1847. He was a painter and trader and lived in Gloucester. He died in Gloucester, July 2, 1897, aged 52 years, 9 months, 21 days. In the division of certain real estate at Bay View in which Ezekiel W. Chard had a life interest Hattie Babson, wife of Edward Babson,

2nd., had one twelfth interest, Oct. 1, 1894. (*Essex Probate*, 76089). She died in Gloucester, June 19 or 21, 1921.

The heirs of Harriet P. Babson of Gloucester were Hattie C. Reed and Edna B. Griffin, both of Gloucester and daughters. Her son-in-law, J. Hollis Griffin administered upon her estate, Aug. 8, 1921. (*Essex Probate*, 140030).

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 474—I. HATTIE C.¹⁰, b. May 6, 1869; m. June 21, 1905, Bradford D. Reed of Boothbay, Me. She was living in Gloucester, 1921.
 475—II. EDNA, b. Apr. 1, 1874; m. Oct. 24, 1898, James Hollis Griffin. On May 1, 1901, Hattie C. Babson and Edna B. Griffin signed their father's probate papers. (*Essex Probate*, 81696).

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OSMAN⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 16, 1842; married in Gloucester, Dec. 26, 1864, MARCIE L. DULEY, daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Jones) Duley, born in Gloucester, July 24, 1845. He was a carpenter and lived in Gloucester. It is stated that he died Nov. 30, 1908, aged 66 years, 8 months, 14 days.

Marcia L. Babson died in Gloucester, Oct. 8, 1911, aged 66 years, 2 months, 14 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 476—I. OSMAN EVERETT¹⁰, b. about 1868
 477—II. ALBERT DULEY, b. Nov. 7, 1870.
 478—III. ELMER WARREN, b. Dec. 31, 1874.

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ALBERT PARSONS⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester Oct. 7, 1855; married in Gloucester, June 10, 1880, ELIZA (GIDDINGS) SMITH, daughter of David and Anna M. (Dolliver) Smith, born in Gloucester, Mar. 12, 1857. His widow, Eliza G. Babson, lives in Cambridge, 1932. He died in Gloucester, Oct. 10, 1928, aged 73 years, 3 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 479—I. GRACE GORDON¹⁰, b. July 28, 1881; m. Aug. 19, 1913, Frank Waldo Friend.
 480—II. HESTER THURSTON, b. Apr. 13, 1884; m. July 15, 1920, Bertram Perry Huggins, d. 1922.
 481—III. FRANK H., b. Aug. 22, 1886; d. Feb. 29, 1888.
 482—IV. DUDLEY, b. July 2, 1888.
 483—V. RICHARD CEDRIC, b. Feb. 26, 1890; graduated from Harvard University in 1912, with the degree A.B. He served in the World War, 1918-1919 and was living in Boston, unm., in 1923. He is engaged in research, 1932, in Gloucester.

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MOSES SHAW⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 1, 1863; married in Gloucester, Oct. 5, 1887, MARY PARSONS, daughter of Theodore and Mary Ann (Gardner) Parsons, born in Gloucester, about 1864. He was a grocer and lived in Gloucester. His wife died in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1930, aged 65 years, 5 months, 20 days. Her heirs were Moses S. Babson, husband, and Gardner P. Babson, a son. (*Essex Probate*, 166863). Moses S. now lives at 12 Washington Street, Gloucester.

Child, born in Gloucester:

484—I. GARDNER P.¹⁰, b. Aug. 1, 1889.

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GUSTAVUS⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 23, 1848; died in Seward, Nebr., Oct. 6, 1903, aged 55 years, 5 months. He married (1) in Cambridge, Mar. 13, 1873, ELLEN MARIA KEMP, daughter of John A. and Joan A. Kemp, born in Gloucester about 1853; died in Seward, Feb. 20, 1888; married (2) June 14, 1889, SELMA GLEN TALBOT, of Syracuse, Nebr. She now makes her home with her son, Paul Talbot Babson in Wellesley.

Mr. Babson went to Nebraska in 1872, and settled near Dewitt, Saline County; in 1876, he removed to Crete and engaged in the farm implement business; in 1878, he removed to Seward where he carried on the same business until his death.

Children, by the first wife, last three born in Seward:

485 —I. ALICE¹⁰, b. June —, 1874; d. Feb. 5, 1875, in Dewitt:

486 —II. HENRY BLAKE, b. Dec. 1, 1875, in Dewitt.

487 —III. FRED KEMP, b. June 22, 1877, in Crete.

487a—IV. SANFORD EDWIN, b. June 8, 1880.

488 —V. GUSTAVUS, JR., b. Mar. 2, 1882.

488a—VI. GEORGE LOW, b. Nov. 8, 1885.

Child, by the second wife, born in Seward:

488b—VII. PAUL TALBOT, b. Nov. 22, 1894.

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NATHANIEL⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 2, 1850; married in Gloucester, July 23, 1874, ELLEN F. STEARNS, daughter of Granville and Frances M. (Wise) Stearns, born in Newburyport, Oct. 19, 1850. They were married by Rev. F. B. Makepeace, Congregational clergyman. He died there, Feb. 12, 1927, aged 77 years, 1 month, 10 days. His widow Ellen F. Babson died Oct. 31, 1929, aged 79 years, 12 days. He was a dry goods merchant in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 489—I. ROGER WARD¹⁰, b. July 6, 1875.
- 490—II. Stillborn, child, b. and d. June 21, 1877.
- 491—III. EDITH LOW, b. Mar. 15, 1880; d. Aug. 26, 1893.
- 492—IV. ALICE STEARNS, b. Mar. 20, 1884; m. in Gloucester, Apr. 14, 1910, Dr. William Stewart Whittemore of Cambridge.

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GEORGE L.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 15, 1855; married in Gloucester, Feb. 13, 1883, MARY H. SAUNDERS, daughter of Joseph and Caroline A. (Langsford) Saunders, born in Gloucester, about 1856. He died in Gloucester, Feb. 21, 1884, aged 28 years, 8 months, a farmer. She died in Gloucester, Mar. 15, 1889, a widow, aged 33 years, 1 month, 21 days. No children. His heirs were his widow, Mary H. Babson, administratrix and his father, Gustavus Babson. William L. Saunders was appointed administrator *de bonis non*, Feb. 25, 1897. (*Essex Probate*, 60824). Her heirs were her father, Joseph W. Saunders and her mother, Caroline A. Saunders of Gloucester and her brother was William L. Saunders. (*Essex Probate*, 67614).

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ANNE PRENTISS BABSON, born Jan. 15, 1858; married Dec. 2, 1884, CHARLES S. ALLING, who died Aug. 26, 1894.

Children:

- I. ROBERT BABSON ALLING, b. Sept. 5, 1887; d. June 12, 1929; m. Jan. 25, 1917, Irene Brown of Nebraska.

Children:

- a. John, b. Feb. 10, 1918.
- b. James Tyrrel, b. Nov. 6, 1919.
- c. Mary, b. May 21, 1921.
- d. Ann, b. Sept. 5, 1922.
- e. Susan Babson, b. Nov. 22, 1924.
- f. Elizabeth, b. Jan. 10, 1926.

- II. ELIZABETH LANGWORTHY ALLING, b. June 11, 1889. Now living in Gloucester.

- III. MARGARET ALLING, b. Sept. 19, 1894; m. at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., Feb. 7, 1920, Dwight Sargent.

Children:

- a. David Rutledge, b. Dec. 21, 1920.
- b. Elizabeth Ann, b. Mar. 20, 1924.

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LUCY STANWOOD BABSON, born May 17, 1864; married Feb. 19, 1901, to WILLIAM M. JELLY of Salem.

Child:

- I. DONALD BABSON, b. March 25, 1903; m. June 8, 1929, Elizabeth Ingraham.
 - a. Cynthia, b. April 9th, 1931.

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JAMES⁹ BABSON, born in Amesbury, Aug. 31, 1858; married in Haverhill, Nov. 3, 1895, MRS. ETTA M. (GREENWOOD) GRAHAM, daughter of Napoleon and Adelaide (St. Louis) Greenwood, born in St. Gertrude, Three Rivers, Province of Quebec, about 1867. He was a shoecutter in Haverhill in 1895 and was living in Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 9, 1926.

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FRANCIS MORRILL⁹ BABSON, born in Amesbury, Sept. 1, 1874; graduated from Harvard University in 1897, with the degree A.B., He married in Boston, June 23, 1906, ELEANOR NELSON, daughter of Frank and Henrietta (Foster) Nelson of Calais, Me. He is in the bond and insurance business in Boston and lives in Marblehead. No children.

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FREDERICK CLIFFORD⁹ BABSON, born in Portland, Me., Aug. 26, 1853; married in South Hadley, July 30, 1874, ELIZA S. MILLER, daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Cook) Miller, born in South Hadley, about 1857. He was a cigar maker. He lived in South Hadley and Somerville. He died in Quincy, Dec. 3, 1916, aged 63 years, 3 months, 7 days. His widow died in Somerville, Sept. 17, 1927, aged 70 years, 4 months, 15 days.

Children, first, second and fifth born in South Hadley, others in Somerville:

- 493—I. CLIFFORD MILLER¹⁰, b. Oct. 25, 1874; living in Dorchester, 1916.
- 494—II. Daughter, b. Oct. 22, 1876; d. Nov. 29, 1876.
- 495—III. ALICE CORDELIA, b. Oct. 19, 1877; m. Feb. 12, 1896, James William Wight.
- 496—IV. MABEL ELIZA, b. Apr. 30, 1879; m. June 21, 1899, George Edward Little.
- 497—V. RICHARD LUND, b. Sept. 27, 1883.
- 498—VI. Son, d. Oct. 15, 1885, aged 4 hours.
- 499—VII. HATTIE JUDD, b. May 14, 1890; m. May 5, 1915, George C. Cook.
- 500—IX. GERTRUDE L., b. Apr. 16, 1896.

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DAVID CLIFFORD⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Jan. 1, 1834; died in Rockport, June 17, 1897, aged 63 years, 5 months, 17 days. He married (1) in Rockport, Jan. 1, 1857, SARAH ELIZABETH

ABBOTT, daughter of Eben G. and Sally D. (Harris) Abbott, born in Gloucester, Oct. 8, 1833; died in Rockport, Aug. 23, 1878. Administration on her estate was granted Nov. 6, 1878, and he was appointed guardian unto their children with Horatio Babson of Gloucester surety, Jan. 15, 1879 (*Essex Probate*, 31742).

He married (2) in Rockport, Feb. 10, 1880, CAROLINE I. WHEELER, daughter of Addison Gilbert and Isabel (Gilmore) Wheeler. He was a fish dealer and they lived in Rockport.

Children, by first wife, born in Rockport:

- 501—I. HOWARD C.¹⁰, b. June 19, 1857.
- 502—II. LIZZIE EUGENE, b. May 2, 1859; d. young.
- 503—III. EBEN GROVER ABBOTT, b. Dec. 3, 1860.
- 504—IV. Son, b. Aug. 18, 1862; d. Sept. 19, 1863.
- 505—V. ALICE, b. Feb. 3, 1864.
- 506—VI. WALDO, b. Sept. 28, 1866.
- 507—VII. WILLIAM HOMER, b. July 11, 1868.
- 508—VIII. CAROLINE, b. Nov. 7, 1870.

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CHARLES F.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, about Mar. 18, 1839; died there, Feb. 16, 1887, aged 47 years, 9 months, 18 days. No record of a wife and children.

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JOHN LUERE⁹ BABSON, born in Pigeon Cove, now Rockport, Aug. 31, 1831; married Dec. 27, 1854, EDITH BABSON, daughter of Joseph and Maria (Woodbury) Babson, born in Pigeon Cove, Oct. 1, 1833. They lived on Granite Street in Rockport and their house was built in 1835. He was in the fish business and later in the Custom House. He died in Chelsea, Mar. 12, 1894, aged 63. Edith Babson, his widow, died in Chelsea, Mar. 26, 1913, aged 79 years, 5 months, 25 days.

Children, born in Rockport:

- 509—I. ADIN STORY¹⁰, b. May 27, 1856; trader.
- 510—II. MARY GORHAM, b. Sept. 10, 1858; m. June 17, 1882, Ralph Partridge of Chelsea.
- 511—III. ALFRED MANSFIELD, b. June 26, 1860.
- 512—IV. MARIA JOSEPHINE, b. Apr. 27, 1862; d. Nov. 26, 1890, unm.
- 513—V. EDITH LUERE, b. Mar. 18, 1865; m. Mar. 17, 1888, William K. Snow, an engineer of Dallas, Texas and San Antonio, Texas.
- 514—VI. JOHN FISK, b. Nov. 20, 1867; d. Nov. 26, 1867.
- 515—VII. RUTH, b. Mar. 26, 1869; unm., Oct. 18, 1895.
- 516—VIII. LEAH BARTOLL, b. Apr. 11, 1871; unm., Oct. 18, 1895.
- 517—IX. GEORGE EDWARD. b. Sept. 21, 1873.
- 518—X. NAOMI WOODBURY, b. Nov. 6, 1875; m. in Chelsea, Nov. 15, 1899, George F. Sawyer; of Providence, R. I., in 1921.

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GEORGE⁹ BABSON, born at Pigeon Cove, Rockport, 1835; died in Chelsea, Oct. 18, 1895, aged 59 years. They lived in Chelsea and Boston. There were no children. He married in Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 7, 1873, ADA M. MULLIKIN, of Rockport, her second marriage. She was born about 1845.

George Babson of Boston, made his will, June 29, 1887, which was proved, Nov. 29, 1895.

George Babson died in Chelsea, Oct. 18, 1895, his widow Ada M. Babson was appointed administratrix, Nov. 28, 1895. (*Ibid.* 708:242).

His heirs were Ada M. Babson of Chelsea, widow; Nathaniel H. Babson of Rockport, brother; Frank B. Babson of Rockport, brother; Alafonsa M. Babson of Rockport, niece; daughter of Alfonso M. Babson, brother; late of Rockport, deceased; Adin S. Babson of Chelsea, Mary G. Partridge, wife of Ralph Partridge, of Chelsea, a niece; Alfred M. Babson of Chelsea, nephew; Edith L. Snow, wife of William K. Snow, Dallas, Texas, niece; Ruth Babson of Chelsea, niece; Leah B. Babson of Chelsea, niece; George Edward Babson, of Chelsea, nephew; and Naomi Babson of Chelsea, niece—all children of John L. Babson, a brother late of Chelsea, deceased. (*Suffolk Probate Files*, 100026).

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NATHANIEL HARADEN⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester in 1839; married in Rockport, Dec. 25, 1859, EMMA R. H. ROWE, daughter of Charles, Jr. and Rachel H. Rowe, born in Rockport about 1840. No births of this union recorded in Massachusetts. The mother was called Rachel Emma, daughter of Charles, Jr. and Rachel (Tarr) Rowe, born in Rockport, Apr. 18, 1841.

Emma R. Babson died in Rockport in Jan. 1929. She made her will May 10, 1926, making Emma Babson Tarr, her niece, wife of Rev. James J. G. Tarr of Rockport, her executrix. Her heirs were Louise (Varney) Kennerson of Chelsea, adopted daughter and Emma Babson Tarr of Rockport, niece. (*Essex Probate*, 163473).

Nathaniel died in Rockport, Feb. 24, 1922, aged 83 years, 4 months, 17 days. His mother, Mary D. (Haraden) Babson was born at sea on the U. S. ship *Constitution* (*Mass. Deaths*, 1922, Vol. 68, p. 437).

Child by adoption:

519—I. EMMA LOUISE¹⁰, b. about 1874; m. (1) in Rockport, Mar. 29, 1894, Ernest R. Varney, a sloopman of Gloucester; m. (2) Sept. 13, 1904, George H. Tarr. She probably m. again, — Kennerson.

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ALPHONSO M.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester in 1840; married in Rockport, Apr. 30, 1864, LUCY P. HODGKINS, daughter of John

Blatchford and Mary B. (Pool) Hodgkins, born in Gloucester, Feb. 22, 1843. He was a fisherman and lived at Pigeon Cove and Folly Cove. He was drowned, Mar. 13, 1877. She married (2) in Rockport, Apr. 9, 1879, HERMAN WARD, of Gloucester.

Children, born in Rockport:

- 520—I. CORA¹⁰, b. June —, 1865; d. Aug. 5, 1865.
- 521—II. ALPHONSO, b. Nov. 12, 1866; d. Nov. 12, 1866.
- 522—III. ALAFONSA M., b. Mar. 6, 1872; m. in Rockport, Apr. 25, 1898, Charles A. Stenstreen of Gloucester.

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HORATIO⁹ BABSON, JR., born in Rockport, in 1837; died in Rockport, July 9, 1902, aged 64 years, 9 months. He married (1) in Rockport, June 1, 1860, CHARLOTTE F. BABSON, daughter of David and Clara (Lane) Babson, born in Rockport, in 1840; died in Gloucester, Feb. 16, 1887. He married (2) in Boston, Mar. 1, 1888, MRS. ADA (SYKES) PATTEN, daughter of George F. and Louise (Reed) Sykes, born in Gorham, Me., in 1853; died in Belmont, Feb. 28, 1926, aged 72 years, 11 months, 2 days. They lived in Rockport, in Gloucester and in Boston.

The heirs of Charlotte F. Babson were her husband, Horatio Babson of Boston and her son Herman Babson, a minor. Her inventory shows that she owned one quarter part of the schooner *Gladstone*, which was valued at \$1,500. (*Essex Probate*, 67581).

Children, by the first wife, born in Gloucester:

- 523—I. CLINTON H.¹⁰, b. Sept. 9, 1870; d. Apr. 21, 1872, aged 19m., 11d.
- 524—II. HERMAN, b. Dec. 19, 1871.
- 525—III. LOTTIE L., b. Oct. 20, 1873; d. Mar. 15, 1877.
- 526—IV. CLARA S., b. Feb. 25, 1876; d. Feb. —, 1877.

Child by adoption by him and his second wife, born in Boston:

- 527—V. LOISE REED, b. about 1883; m. in Waltham, Oct. 7, 1902, Francis Andrew Haines, as his second wife; perhaps m. (2) — Wight of Belmont.

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DAVID⁹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Mar. 29, 1840; died there, May 10, 1890, aged 50 years, 1 month, 11 days. He married (1) in Rockport, Mar. 3, 1861, SALLY P. LANE, daughter of Lewis and Sally Lane, born in Rockport about 1839; died there, Sept. 1, 1876, aged 38 years, 1 month, 3 days. He married (2) in Rockport, July 31, 1881, LOTTIE MITCHELL, daughter of Stinson and Annis T. (Bailey) Mitchell, born in Rockport, July 24, 1854; died in Gloucester, Feb. 18, 1919. They lived on Granite street, Pigeon Cove, Rockport.

Ella Bailey Babson, widow of Frederick Babson, petitioned to administer upon the estate of David Babson, who died in Rockport,

May 9, 1890, on Nov. 6, 1911, stating that his heirs were the four children of Frederick Babson, a son, deceased, and Allie Babson, a daughter. (*Essex Probate*, 112216).

Administration on the estate of Lottie M. Babson of Gloucester, formerly of Rockport, was granted to her brother Blanchard Mitchell of Gloucester, Apr. 7, 1919, he being the only heir. (*Ibid.* 132538.)

Children, by first wife, born in Rockport:

- 528—I. Son¹⁰, b. Aug. 18, 1862; d. Sept. 19, 1863.
- 529—II. ALLIE (ALICE), b. about 1865; unm., Nov. 1, 1911.
- 530—III. FREDERICK, b. about 1867.
- 531—IV. CARRIE, b. about 1871; m. in Somerville, June 24, 1896, Crawford Alley Hatch.
- 532—V. RALPH, b. May 9, 1874; d. Sept. 30, 1874.

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CHARLES POOLE⁹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Nov. 3, 1848; died in Rockport, Oct. 4, 1915, aged 66 years, 11 months, 1 day. He was a fisherman and by Kate Howland, he had a son, Charles P. Babson, Jr., born in Rockport, Oct. 22, 1870. He married in Gloucester, Sept. 24, 1882, CLARA AMELIA WOODBURY, daughter of Franklin and Amelia (Wheeler) Woodbury, born about 1859. They lived in Rockport in Pigeon Cove. Charles P. Babson was appointed guardian to his surviving children, Apr. 15, 1901. (*Essex Probate*, 88190). She died in Rockport, Mar. 28, 1901, aged 41 years, 9 months, 22 days.

Children, born in Rockport:

- 533—I. CHARLES F.¹⁰, b. Nov. 19, 1882; d. Dec. 5, 1882.
- 534—II. EDWARD, b. May 8, 1887.
- 535—III. FRANKLIN W., b. Mar. 10, 1889.
- 536—IV. GRACE, b. June 10, 1891; m. June 16, 1917, George Newton Morgan.
- 537—V. HORACE, b. Apr. 19, 1893; d. Sept. 19, 1893.
- 538—VI. HERBERT, d. Aug. 15, 1894, aged 3m., 27d.
- 539—VII. CLARA AMY, b. Sept. 10, 1895.

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DAVID WALLACE⁹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Mar. 31, 1841. He was living in Rockport, in 1878; died in Rockport, Jan. 17, 1889, aged 47 years, 9 months, 17 days. He was a trader and married. His wife was LIZETTE BURGESS.

His heirs were his widow Lizette Babson and his brothers and sisters: Edith, wife of John L. Babson of Chelsea; Helen Wheeler, wife of Roscoe Wheeler of Fruitvale, Calif.; Margaret Woodbury, wife of Nathan Woodbury of Gloucester; Mary M. Poole, wife of John J. Poole of Rockport; Susanna Clifford, wife of Fred D. Clifford

of East Hampton; Joseph N. Babson of St. Louis, Mo.; Clarissa Smith, wife of Solomon Smith of Rockport; and Maria Babson of E. Hampton. He owned the Joseph Babson homestead inventoried at \$2,767. His sister Maria Babson was a minor and Sumner D. York of Rockport was her guardian. (*Essex Probate*, 67366).

Lizette (Burgess) Babson, widow of David W. died in Rockport, Oct. 21, 1926, aged 81 years, 5 months, 9 days. She was born in Maine, May 12, 1845. (*Mass. Deaths, 1926*, Vol. 72, p. 233).

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JOSEPH NEY⁹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Dec. 26, 1852. He was living in Boston, in 1878; living in Montreal, Canada, Mar. 9, 1892. (*Essex Probate*, 72311).

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ISAAC NEWTON⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 23, 1836; married in Rockport, Dec. 27, 1867, LEONORA SANBORN, daughter of Daniel and Nancy E. Sanborn, born in Rockport, Feb. 19, 1840. He was a mariner and lived in Rockport. He died in Rockport, Dec. 1, 1902, aged 66 years, a carpenter. His widow died in Gloucester, July 2, 1919, aged 79 years, 4 months, 13 days.

Child, born in Rockport:

540—I. JENNIE NEWTON¹⁰, b. Feb. 14, 1869; m. Aug. 17, 1918, Charles Brown Tarr.

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SYLVANUS BROWN⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester (now Rockport), Dec. 11, 1840; killed in battle in Virginia, May 12, 1864. He married in Rockport, Jan. 26, 1864, LUCRETIA N. SARGENT, daughter of Winthrop and Mary Ann Sargent, born in Rockport about 1846. The Vital Records of Rockport state that Lucretia N. Sargent was the daughter of *Wentworth* and Phebe A. Sargent, born June 29, 1845. Her marriage record in the State House (vol. 171:230) calls her daughter of Winthrop and Mary Ann Sargent. She married (2) Oct. 29, 1869, John Harris, a fisherman of Rockport. Lucretia N. Babson (now Lucretia N. Harris) of Rockport was appointed guardian unto Sylvania Babson, aged 6 years, daughter of Sylvanus B. Babson, late of Rockport, deceased, with John Harris, her husband, as surety, Jan. 11, 1870. She stated that Sylvania is a claimant for a U. S. pension. (*Essex Probate*, 31744).

Child, born in Rockport:

541—I. SYLVANIA B.¹⁰, b. Oct. 22, 1864; m. May 1, 1889, Joseph K. Dorr (or Dow) of Boston. She was living in Tacoma, Wash., Mar. 6, 1899, a granddaughter of Isaac Babson of Rockport. (*Essex Probate*, 83956).

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JOSEPH⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 12, 1852; married there, MARY S. ROWE, daughter of Andrew J. and Mary (Cain) Rowe, born in Gloucester, about 1854. He was a sailmaker and lived in Gloucester. His wife died in Gloucester, Feb. 19, 1901, aged 47 years, 7 months, 15 days. He died in Gloucester, at 120 Washington Street, Sept. 21, 1903, aged 51 years, 9 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 542—I. SUMNER C.¹⁰, b. Sept. 19, 1877; went to Denver, Colo.
- 543—II. Son, d. Feb. 25, 1886.

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DANIEL TARR⁹ BABSON, JR., born in Gloucester, Oct. 17, 1855; married in Gloucester, MABEL S. PERKINS, daughter of Dean and Maria (Ellery) Perkins, born in Gloucester, about 1858.

Treasurer of the Cape Ann Savings Bank in Gloucester in 1932. They live at 109 Main Street.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 544—I. ROGER DERBY¹⁰, b. Oct. 7, 1880.
- 545—II. CLINTON PIERCE, b. Oct. 9, 1884; d. July 30, 1885, aged 9m., 21d.
- 546—III. MARION DEAN, b. Apr. 16, 1888; m. Sept. 27, 1917, Henry Ransford Reed.

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WALTER C.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Mar. 14, 1857; married in Rockport, Nov. 13, 1883, LOIS TARR, daughter of George J. and Oresa (Sanborn) Tarr, born in Rockport, about 1864. No children recorded before 1901. He was a carpenter; and died in Gloucester, Feb. 18, 1923, aged 65 years, 11 months, 6 days.

His heirs were: Isabelle D. Babson and Julia A. Babson, both of Gloucester, sisters; Daniel T. Babson and Luther D. Babson, both of Gloucester, brothers; Sumner C. Babson of Denver, Colo., nephew. No mention of a widow. (*Essex Probate*, 144970).

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LUTHER D.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, June 27, 1861; married in Gloucester, May 6, 1897, MARY CONLEY, daughter of Peter and Margaret (Galvin) Conley, born about 1870 in Ireland. He and his wife lived at 154 Washington Street, Gloucester in 1932.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 547—I. MARJORIE¹⁰, b. Aug. 7, 1900; d. Aug. 10, 1900.
- 548—II. Daughter, still-born, Jan. 28, 1905.

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HERMANN F.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, May 22, 1872; married in Gloucester, Nov. 7, 1892, KATE L. NEWMAN, daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Kelly) Newman, born in Cambridge, about 1870. He was living at 20 Western Avenue, Gloucester, 1932.

Child, born in Watertown:

- 549—I. ELIZABETH LOUISE¹⁰, b. June 9, 1893; m. Nov. 26, 1913, Carl Louis Rohnstock.

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FITZ JAMES⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 27, 1857; married in Gloucester, Oct. 27, 1880, CARRIE A. BURNHAM, daughter of Simeon A. and Sarah A. (Proctor) Burnham, born in Gloucester, about 1856. He was a lumber dealer and lived in Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 550—I. HELEN C.¹⁰, b. Aug. 19, 1882.
551—II. SARAH ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 25, 1886; d. in Gloucester, Jan. 1, 1912, unm.

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JAMES⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 24, 1828; lost at sea, on the schooner *Rolla*, May 23, 1861; married in Gloucester, Dec. 3, 1848, MARY E. BROWN, daughter of David and Abigail Brown, born in Gloucester, Jan. 22, 1831. She married (2) in Gloucester, June 1, 1863, JOSIAH B. PARSONS, son of Daniel G. and Abigail (Bickford) Parsons, as his second wife. He was a mariner.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 552—I. EMELINE¹⁰, b. Feb. 28, 1849; perhaps m. in Boston, Sept. 14, 1865, Thomas Rooner, a master mariner.
553—II. MARY A., b. Oct. 25, 1850; m. (1) July 10, 1867, Fitz E. McIntosh; m. (2) Nov. 30, 1881, Benjamin A. Brazier.
554—III. JAMES, b. Sept. 28, 1853.
555—IV. ABIGAIL, b. Oct. 7, 1855; m. Mar. 20, 1877, Jesinto Nenas, b. in Portugal.
556—V. AVILLA, b. Nov. 9, 1857; m. Apr. 29, 1876, David Bushey.
557—VI. IDA M., b. Aug. 10, 1859; m. Nov. 29, 1877, John Silva of Rockport.

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SAMUEL W.⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 15, 1842; married in Boston, June 10, 1869, MARTHA S. DUNN, daughter of Walter and Eleanor Dunn, born in Nova Scotia about 1843.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 558—I. IDA E.¹⁰, b. Nov. 3, 1869.

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NICHOLAS POOR⁹ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 15, 1846; married about 1867, LUELLA A. COGSWELL, who was born in Boston. He was a mariner and lived in Gloucester. His wife is also called LUELLA A. COOMBS. He died in Boston, July 29, 1913, aged 67 years, 3 months, 14 days.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 559—I. MARY P. LLOYD¹⁰, b. Feb. 28, 1868; m. in Boston, Nov. 27, 1889, Howard E. Amee, a native of Kittery, Me.
- 560—II. GEORGE PHILIP, b. Dec. 29, 1869:
- 561—III. CHARLES F., b. June 17, 1871; d. Sept. 5, 1871, aged 2m., 18d:

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WILLIAM K.⁹ BABSON, born probably on Pumpkin Island, Apr. 18, 1872; married ELIZABETH J. BLACK. He is a carpenter and they were living on Eggemoggin, which is included in Deer Isle, Me., in the year 1910.

Children:

- 562—I. JOSEPH EDWARD¹⁰, business college student, 1910.
- 563—II. RUTH V., student, 1910.
- 564—III. WILLIAM C., student, 1910.

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EDWARD FRANK¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 22, 1878; married in Providence, R. I., May 16, 1907, MARY NELLIE FOSTER, daughter of Louis and Mabel (Jacques) Foster, born in Nova Scotia, about 1887. At the time of their marriage he lived in Brockton.

Child, born in Brockton:

- 565—I. CHARLES ARTHUR¹¹, b. Oct. 19, 1907:

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CHARLES WILLIAM¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Apr. 5, 1887. He married in Boston, Aug. 18, 1912, GRACE L. KEANE, of Marlborough. He was a lawyer and lived in Cambridge. She was daughter of Joseph and Ellen (Bell) Keane, and born in Marlborough, about 1890.

Children, first born in Dorchester; others in Cambridge:

- 566—I. GERTRUDE MARY¹¹, b. Feb. 7, 1913; d. Oct. 27, 1914.
- 567—II. Daughter, b. Aug. 7, 1914.
- 568—III. CHARLES WILLIAM, b. May 31, 1916.
- 569—IV. RITA GRACE, b. Oct. 22, 1918.
- 570—V. DORIS MARIE, b. Dec. 22, 1921.

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CHARLES BRADFORD¹⁰ BABSON, born in Killingly, Conn., June 15, 1868. He removed to San Francisco, Cal., and married HARRIET ANN REDSTONE. He died in the U. S. Naval Hospital in Chelsea, Dec. 16, 1928, aged 59 years, 5 months, 29 days. He was in the World War service. His widow was living in Melrose in 1928.

Children, born in San Francisco:

- 571—I. WILLIAM BRADFORD¹¹, b. about 1896.
 572—II. CHARLOTTE REDSTONE, b. about 1902; m. in Princeton, June 12, 1926, George Colburn Myrick, son of George Whiting and Lillian Baker (Littlefield) Myrick.

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GEORGE EUGENE¹⁰ BABSON, born in Fond du Lac, Wis., about 1873. He married in Melrose, Sept. 4, 1899, ETTA SWEET, daughter of Robert and Mary Ann (Cowan) Sweet, born in St. John N. B., about 1871. She died in Melrose, Feb. 25, 1930, aged 58 years, 7 months, 9 days. He was living in Melrose, 1930.

Children, born in Melrose:

- 573—I. RUTH SWEET¹¹, b. June 11, 1903.
 574—II. PHILIP EUGENE, b. June 21, 1906; d. Jan. 28, 1908.

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ROBERT TILLINGHAST¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 3, 1862; married in Gloucester, June 14, 1900, ALICE CARY JORDAN, daughter of William H. and Harriet E. (Worcester) Jordan, born in Gloucester about 1871. He was a lawyer and graduated from Harvard University in 1882 and from Boston University Law School, 1885, with the degree LL.B. He is a Boston lawyer. They reside in Arlington.

Children, born in Brookline:

- 575—I. HARRIET WORCESTER¹¹, b. Apr. 18, 1901.
 576—II. WILLIAM, b. July 24, 1903.

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JOHN LOW¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Feb. 13, 1866; died in Gloucester, Oct. 13, 1929; married (1) in Gloucester, Dec. 13, 1900, LOTTIE A. HAYWARD, daughter of James and Alice (Wentzell) Hayward, born in West Dublin or Lunenburg, N. S., about 1877; died in Gloucester, Nov. 17, 1922. He was a grocer. He married (2) in Boston, Apr. 21, 1923, ALICE LEE (ALLEN) HARVEY, widow, and daughter of George and Louise (Morse) Allen, born about 1874.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 577—I. JOHN LOW, JR.¹¹, b. Apr. 15, 1901; living Nov. 27, 1922. (*Essex Probate*, 144007).

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HATTIE C.¹⁰ BABSON, born May 6, 1869; married June 21, 1905, BRADFORD D. REED, of Boothbay, Me.

Child:

- I. EDWARD B., b. Aug. 1, 1907; m. Caroline P. Cushman.

Children:

- a. Virginia Cushman.
b. Cynthia Ann.

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EDNA BABSON, born April 1, 1874; married Oct. 24, 1898, JAMES HOLLIS GRIFFIN. Edna died Jan. 2, 1922.

Child:

- I. ROLAND B. GRIFFIN, b. June 8, 1900; d. Nov. 13, 1918.

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OSMAN EVERETT¹⁰ BABSON, born Mar. 11, 1867; died in Gloucester, Feb. 1, 1893, aged 25 years, 10 months, 20 days. He married in Gloucester, Jan. 12, 1892, FLORENCE WONSON, daughter of Roger W. and Lucy N. Wonson, born in Gloucester, Oct. 15, 1867; died in Gloucester, Nov. 22, 1931. He was a farmer. Administration granted, May 4, 1896. The widow lives at 121 Mt. Pleasant Street, Gloucester, 1932.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 578—I. ALICE EVERETT¹¹, b. Mar. 15, 1893. She is a teacher in Boston.

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ALBERT DULEY¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Nov. 17, 1870; married in Gloucester, Sept. 30, 1894, ANNIE L. RICH, daughter of Hiram and M. Adelia (Proctor) Rich, born in Gloucester about 1871. At the time of his marriage he was living in Baltimore, Md. He was living in Arlington, N. J., Jan. 18, 1909 and also in 1932. They have a summer home in West Gloucester. He married (2) in Gloucester, June 19, 1923, MRS. ETHEL S. (GARLAND) PARSONS, daughter of Dr. Joseph and Susan D. (Knowlton) Garland. He is an electrical engineer, living in Arlington, N. J.

Children, by first wife:

- 579—I. THOMAS EVERETT¹¹, b. Aug. 2, 1895.
580—II. ELIZABETH, b. June 11, 1898.
581—III. WINNEFRED, b. Nov. 6, 1899.

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ELMER WARREN¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 31, 1874; graduated from Harvard University, 1897, with the degree M.D.V. and was demonstrator of Comparative Anatomy in Veterinary Medicine there, 1899-1900. He married Oct. 29, 1903, EMMA G. LEVEAU, daughter of Carl and Marie Leveau, born in Viken, Sweden, Dec. 31, 1873. Living in 1934, at 343 Washington Street, Gloucester.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 582—I. WILLIAM WARREN¹¹, b. April 18, 1905.
- 583—II. OSMAN, b. July 2, 1908.
- 584—III. DAVID LEVEAU, b. Sept. 16, 1911.

479

GRACE GORDON¹⁰ BABSON, born July 28, 1881; married Aug. 19, 1913, to FRANK WALDO FRIEND.

Child:

- I. BETSEY, b. July 12, 1915. Now living in Lexington.

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DUDLEY¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 2, 1888; married in Milton, June 2, 1921, ELIZABETH THURSTON, daughter of John E. and Helen M. G. (Clark) Thurston, born about 1892.

Child, born in Worcester:

- 585—I. ROBERT T.¹¹, b. Oct. 22, 1923.

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GARDNER P.¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Aug. 1, 1889; married in Gloucester, Aug. 21, 1911, ALINA M. HILTZ, daughter of John and Laura A. (Decker) Hiltz, born in Lockport, N. S., about 1891. He is a bank clerk and they live in Winthrop.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 586—I. DOROTHY GARDNER¹¹, b. Oct. 24, 1915.

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HENRY BLAKE¹⁰ BABSON, born in Dewitt, Nebr., Dec. 1, 1875; married in Seward, Nebr., Aug. 1, 1907, LAURA DAVIS, of Seward. He is president of the firm of Babson Brothers, 2845, 19th Street, Chicago. They reside in Riverside, Ill.

Children:

- 587—I. ELIZABETH SIMPSON¹¹, b. Mar. 17, 1916.
- 588—II. HENRY BLAKE, JR., b. Dec. 20, 1917; d. May 19, 1925.

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FRED KEMP¹⁰ BABSON, born in Crete, Nebr., June 22, 1877; married in Seward, Nebr., Sept. 7, 1898, FRANC PALMER of Seward. He is vice-president of Babson Brothers in Chicago. They reside in Riverside, Nebr.

Children:

- 589—I. DORIS PALMER¹¹, b. July 23, 1900; m. May 24, 1924, Thomas Wright Merritt of Riverside. Their child:
1. THOMAS¹² MERRITT, b. July 11, 1928.

487b

SANFORD EDWIN¹⁰ BABSON, born in Seward, Nebr., June 8, 1880; died in Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 8, 1923. He married Sept. 14, 1905, NELLIE SMOYER, of Syracuse, Nebr. He was in the real estate and brokerage business in Santa Ana, Cal., and about 1918 removed to Los Angeles. He made his will Dec. 1, 1920, in which he requested his brother Henry Blake Babson to become trustee of his estate, which he desired should be used for the benefit of his wife and children. After his death his widow Nellie Babson requested Annie P. Alling of Gloucester to administer upon his estate in Essex County. (*Essex Probate*, 151679).

Mrs. Babson now lives in Claremont, Calif.

Children:

- 590—I. FLORENCE¹¹, b. July 18, 1907; d. June 14, 1908.
591—II. BARBARA, b. Mar. 11, 1909.
592—III. SANFORD LOUIS, b. Dec. 31, 1910.
593—IV. ROBERT GUSTAVUS, b. Nov. 5, 1913.
594—V. EDWIN KEMP, b. June 3, 1917.

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GUSTAVUS¹⁰ BABSON, JR., born in Seward, Nebr., Mar. 2, 1882; married Sept. 7, 1905, ETHEL NORVAL, of Seward, Nebr. He is secretary-treasurer of Babson Brothers of Chicago. They reside in Oak Park, Ill.

Children:

- 595—I. GUSTAVUS¹¹, b. May 31, 1910.
596—II. RICHARD NORVAL, b. Jan. 9, 1917; d. Feb. 19, 1918.
597—III. JAMES ARTHUR, b. Dec. 2, 1919.

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GEORGE LOW¹⁰ BABSON, born in Seward, Nebr., Nov. 8, 1885; married about 1912, GLADYS RALSTON, of Joplin, Mo. They live in Syracuse, N. Y.

Children:

- 598—I. JANE¹¹, b. Feb. 28, 1915; d. Dec. 25, 1915.
 599—II. JOHN RALSTON, b. May 28, 1917.
 600—III. GEORGE LOW, JR., b. Nov. 24, 1920.

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PAUL TALBOT¹⁰ BABSON, born in Seward, Nebr., Nov. 22, 1894; married Feb. 26, 1919, EDITH M. YUNGBLUT, of Lincoln, Nebr. They live at 1 Kenilworth Road, Wellesley, Mass. He is president of the United Business Service of Boston and of the Babson Park Company of Wellesley.

Child, born in Newton Hospital:

- 501—I. DONALD PAUL¹¹, b. Jan. 1, 1924.

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ROGER WARD¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, July 6, 1875; graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology with the degree B.S. in 1898; married in Gloucester, March 29, 1900, GRACE MARGARET KNIGHT, daughter of Richard and Jane (Milk) Knight, born in South Hadley about 1874.

Mr. Babson is a statistician and the founder of Babson's Statistical Organization in Wellesley, Mass.

He served as Director-General of Information and Education in the Department of Labor during the World War period. He is a Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society of London and is a lecturer on statistics and economics. In 1927, the University of Florida conferred upon him the degree LL.D. Founder of the Babson Institute and other public institutions.

Child, born in Wellesley:

- 602—I. EDITH LOW¹¹, b. Dec. 6, 1903; m. in Wellesley, Dec. 8, 1923.

Mr. Babson is the author of the following publications:

1909. *Business Barometers Used in the Accumulation of Money*. Wellesley Hills, Roger W. Babson, 390 pp. Fifth edition 1912.
 1912. *Commercial Paper* with Ralph May. Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated. 246 pp.
 1912. *Ascertaining and Forecasting Business Conditions*. (American Statistical Association, New Series 13:36-44).
 1913. *The Future of the Working Classes*. Boston: Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 76 pp.
 1914. *The Future Method of Investing Money*. Boston: Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 107 pp.

- 1914. *The Future of Nations. Prosperity. How It Must Come.* Boston-Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 123 pp.
- 1914. *The Future of the Railroads.* Boston:Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 128 pp.
- 1914. *Bonds and Stocks. The Elements of Successful Investing.* Wellesley Hills: Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 422 pp.
- 1915. *The Future of Us Boys.* Boston:Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 129 pp.
- 1915. *The Future of World Peace.* Boston:Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 142 pp.
- 1915. *The Future of South America.* Boston:Little, Brown & Co., 407 pp.
- 1915. *South America and Massachusetts,* 12 pp.
- 1916. *Eliminating the Economic Causes of the War.* (In the Problems and Lessons of the War).

Unemployment.

- 1918. *Human Relations in Industry.* Chief of Information and Education Service of the United States Department of Labor. 10 pp.
- 1919. *A Plain Talk on Man's Object in Life.* Director General of the Division of Industries, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C., 4 pp.
- 1919. *W. B. Wilson and the Department of Labor.* New York: Brentano's, 276 pp.
- 1920. *A Central American Journey.* Yonkers, N. Y. World Book Co., 219 pp.
- 1920. *James M. Cox—The Man.* New York. Brentano's, 128 pp.
- 1920. *Fundamentals of Prosperity. What they Are and Whence They Come.* New York. Fleming H. Revell Co., 95 pp.
- 1920. *Religion and Business.* New York. The MacMillan Co., 221 pp.
- 1921. *The Future of the Churches: Historic and Economic Facts.* New York: Fleming H. Revell Co., 112 pp.
- 1921. *Making Good in Business.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 175 pp.
- 1922. *New Tasks for Old Churches.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 190 pp.
- 1922. *The Christian Faith and Human Relations.* Philadelphia: (The Christian Faith and Human Relations, pp. 105-124).

1923. *Business Fundamentals: How to Become a Successful Business Man.* New York:B. C. Forbes Publishing Co., 258 pp.
1923. *What is Success.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 154 pp.
1924. *Recent Labor Progress with Special Reference to the Work of the Federal Government under James J. Davis, Secretary of Labor.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 336 pp.
1926. *Do Praying Fathers Have Preying Sons.* No. (New York: Business and the Church. Jerome Davis, editor, pp. 35-54).
1927. *Dogtown: Gloucester's Deserted Village.* Gloucester:Chamber of Commerce, 24 pp.
1927. *Instincts and Emotions. Should They Be Suppressed or Harnessed.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 181 pp.
1928. *A Business Man's Creed.* New York:Fleming H. Revell Co., 28 pp.
1929. *Storing Up Triple Reserves: Success is Secured by Developing Financial, Physical and Spiritual Reserves.* New York: The Macmillan Co., 364 pp.
1929. *Business Barometers Used in the Management of Business and Investment of Money.* Twentieth edition. Babson Park:Babson's Statistical Organization, Incorporated, 450 pp.

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ALICE STEARNS BABSON, born Mar. 20, 1884; married in Gloucester, April 14, 1910, to DR. WILLIAM STEWART WHITTEMORE of Cambridge.

Children:

- I. FREDERICK WEBSTER WHITTEMORE, b. Oct. 23, 1912; m. in Cambridge, Dec. 23, 1933, Frances Appleton Humphreys.
- II. RICHARD HOWLAND WHITTEMORE, b. Sept. 23, 1916.
- III. ELEANOR STEARNS WHITTEMORE, b. May 20, 1920.

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CLIFFORD MILLER¹⁰ BABSON, born in South Hadley, Oct. 25, 1874; married in Somerville, Nov. 25, 1897, GRACE MAY CURRIER, daughter of George W. and Susan M. (Moffatt) Currier, born in Rockport about 1879.

Children, first three born in Somerville, other in Boston:

- 603—I. HAROLD CLIFFORD¹¹, b. Dec. 2, 1899.
- 604—II. Son (stillborn), Jan. 17, 1901.
- 605—III. CLIFFORD MILLER, b. Oct. 11, 1907.
- 606—IV. Son, b. Feb. 11, 1911.

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RICHARD LUND¹⁰ BABSON, born in South Hadley, Sept. 27, 1883; married in Somerville, Jan. 14, 1914, GERTRUDE HARRIET CONWAY, daughter of James F. and Sarah E. (Coffran) Conway, born in Boston, 1888.

501

HOWARD C.¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, June 19, 1857; died in Gloucester, Nov. 19, 1921, aged 64 years, 5 months; married in Rockport, Jan. 18, 1882, ELIZABETH WILLIAMSON, daughter of George and Mary (Cranston) Williamson, born in Rockport, about 1860. He was a fisherman and a teamster and lived in Rockport. She married (2) in Gloucester, Sept. 20, 1928, as a widow, EVERETT B. COOK. Her second marriage record calls her daughter of Edward and Mary (Cranston) Williamson, born about 1861.

Children, born in Rockport:

- 607—I. BERTRAM CLIFFORD¹¹, b. Aug. 31, 1882.
- 608—II. ELIZABETH E., b. July 31, 1884; m. Sept. 5, 1901, George A. Johnson.
- 609—III. EMERY WHEELER, b. Dec. 13, 1892.
- 610—IV. AUSTIN, b. Mar. 26, 1896.
- 611—V. DAVID CHAMBERLAIN, b. May 25, 1899.

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EBEN GROVER ABBOTT¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, Dec. 3, 1860; married in Milford, June 5, 1886, LIZZIE S. McMAHON, daughter of John and Sophia McMahon, born in Ireland, about 1865. They lived in Douglas. He died in Douglas, Jan. 21, 1906, aged 45 years, 1 month, 16 days.

Children, born in Douglas:

- 612—I. CLINTON WEBSTER¹¹, b. Feb. 26, 1890.
- 613—II. LILLIAN M., b. Jan. 12, 1897; d. Jan. 29, 1897.

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WALDO¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, Sept. 28, 1866; married in Cambridge, Dec. 20, 1888, ADA EMERSON BATES, daughter of Joseph H. and Fannie M. Bates, born in Somerville, about 1868. He was an apothecary in Cambridge in 1889; living in Berlin, N. H. 1893 to 1926.

Children, first born in Cambridge, others in Berlin, N. H.:

- 614—I. CLIFFORD BATES¹¹, b. Aug. 14, 1889.
- 615—II. GEORGE HENRY, b. Jan. 15, 1893.
- 616—III. DAVID, b. Feb. 5, 1895.
- 617—IV. HOWARD A., b. Oct. 2, 1896; m. Dec. 17, 1922, Marjorie Conroy.
- 618—V. ENOCH EMERSON, b. Nov. 6, 1897; d. July 29, 1898.

619—VI. SIDNEY EUGENE (twin), b. July 26, 1899.

620—VII. HAROLD FREDERICK (twin), b. July 26, 1899; d. July 28, 1899.

621—VIII. RALPH WALDO, b. Mar. 8, 1905.

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WILLIAM HOMER¹⁰ BABSON, born in Pigeon Cove, Rockport, July 11, 1868; married in East Douglas, Nov. 14, 1907, EXILDA LAVELLE, daughter of Joseph and Selina (Pilon) Lavelle, born in Canada about 1877.

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ADIN STORY¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, May 27, 1856; died in Chelsea, Aug. 15, 1921. He married KATHERINE McDONALD, who was his widow Oct. 13, 1921. She was born in Antigonish, N. S., about 1850; died in Melrose, Nov. 22, 1924, daughter of Robert and Catherine (MacDermid) McDonald, both parents born in Caithness, Scotland.

Adin S. Babson of Chelsea made his will Aug. 12, 1921, which was allowed Oct. 13, 1921. He gave his estate to his wife Katherine (McDonald) Babson of Chelsea. He signed as Adin Story Babson. (*Suffolk Probate*, 1255:107).

Katherine McDonald Babson represented that Adin Story Babson died in Chelsea, Aug. 15, 1921, that she was his widow, that Edith L. Snow of San Antonio, Texas, Ruth Babson of Chelsea, and Leah B. Babson of Chelsea were sisters, Naomi W. Sawyer of Providence, R. I., was a sister and that Alfred M. Babson of Norton and George N. Babson of Plymouth were brothers. (*Ibid.* 1258—242).

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ALFRED MANSFIELD¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, June 26, 1860; married in East Boothbay, Me., July 4, 1885, ABBIE D. BLAKE, daughter of Franklin and Mary A. (Light) Blake, born in East Boothbay about 1865. They lived in Chelsea and in Norton, in 1921. He died in Norton, May 28, 1930.

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GEORGE EDWARD (ALIAS NED)¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, Sept. 21, 1873; married in Uxbridge, Jan. 1, 1902, ALICE H. CAPRON, daughter of Charles C. and Mary (Somat) Capron, born in Uxbridge, about 1866. He was an architect and lived in Boston. He was living in Plymouth, Oct. 13, 1921.

Child, born in Boston:

622—I. JOHN CAPRON¹¹, b. Oct. 10, 1902.

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HERMAN¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 19, 1871; married in Amherst, June 17, 1897, CARRIE ANNA RICHARDSON, daughter of Prof. Henry B. and Mary (Lincoln) Richardson, born in Springfield about 1875. He was an assistant professor of English, Massachusetts Agricultural College, 1893 to 1906; professor of German language and literature, College of Hawaii, Honolulu, 1908-1909; professor of German, Purdue University, 1909-1914; head of department of Modern Languages, Purdue, 1914 to 1924.

He graduated from Amherst College 1893; degree M.A., 1896; Ph.D., Harvard University, 1908. He died in Lauterbrunnen, Switzerland, June 25, 1925. No children.

He made his will at West LaFayette, Ind., which was proved in Salem, Oct. 23, 1925. He gave his estate to his wife, Carrie (Richardson) Babson and in case of her death, to her sister Mary (Richardson) Reid, wife of John Reid and his nephew, Lincoln Reid. He mentions his wife's brother, Henry Stephen Richardson and his wife's sister-in-law, Agnes T. Richardson and the children of Mrs. Charles A. Wright, daughter of Mrs. Ada S. Babson. He made a codicil at Peabody, Jan. 27, 1920, in which he appointed John Reid of Peabody, executor and his wife executrix. (*Essex Probate*, 152669). Morton Cannon of Rockport was his cousin named among his heirs.

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FREDERICK¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, about 1867; married in Westfield, Dec. 22, 1893, ELLA M. BAILEY, daughter of Henry B. and Sarah R. (Cowles) Bailey, born in Westfield, about 1867.

He was a fish dealer in Rockport and died there, Feb. 19, 1912. They lived at Pigeon Cove near the Babson Farm in Rockport. Andrew L. Bailey of Westfield was guardian to his children, Apr. 4, 1912. (*Essex Probate*, 113481).

Children, born in Rockport:

- 623—I. DOROTHY C.¹¹, b. Sept. 6, 1894; m. June 30, 1917, Carroll Rickert.
- 624—II. NAOMI LANE, b. Nov. 30, 1895; m. Aug. 9, 1926, Paul Alfred Grieder.
- 625—III. DAVID FREDERICK, b. Nov. 27, 1897.
- 626—IV. HELEN HATCH, b. May 29, 1899.

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EDWARD¹⁰ BABSON, born in Rockport, May 8, 1887; married in Gloucester, Aug. 15, 1916, MATHILDE MARTHA BERNS, of Toledo, Ohio, daughter of John F. and Sophia Louis (Goetting) Berns, born about 1893.

Children, born in Gloucester:

- 627—I. PHYLLIS ADELIA¹¹, b. Sept. 26, 1917.
 628—II. EDWARD, b. Oct. 12, 1919.
 629—III. JOHN BERNES, b. May 19, 1921.

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ROGER DERBY¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Oct. 7, 1880; married in Brookline, Dec. 5, 1912, MARY IRENE GARVEY, daughter of Patrick and Katherine (Donegan) Garvey, born Pascoag, R. I., about 1889.

554

JAMES¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Sept. 28, 1853; married in Essex, Nov. 8, 1871, EMMA F. KING, daughter of John and Jessie (Grant) King, born in Essex, about 1854. She married (2) in Gloucester, Mar. 20, 1875, Frank A. Haskell, of Gloucester.

Child, born in Gloucester:

- 630—I. JESSIE MAY¹¹, b. about 1871; m. in Salem, July 20, 1889, Francis William Semons of Salem.

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GEORGE PHILIP¹⁰ BABSON, born in Gloucester, Dec. 29, 1869; married in Somerville, Sept. 5, 1892, JANIE ELIZABETH WARD, daughter of Edward C. and Susan R. (Spence) Ward, born in Halifax, N. S., about 1868.

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JOSEPH EDWARD¹⁰ BABSON, born in Deer Isle (Eggemoggin), Me., about 1892; married in Medford, Apr. 16, 1918, MARION SPENCER, daughter of George and Bertha C. (Sanderson) Spencer, born in Somerville. He was a soldier in the U. S. army, in 1918.

Children, first born in Boston, others in Medford:

- 631—I. MARJORIE DORIS¹¹, b. Dec. 29, 1918.
 632—II. EVELYN LOVEDAY, b. Jan. 17, 1922.
 633—III. EDWARD SPENCER, b. Nov. 28, 1923.

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WILLIAM BRADFORD¹¹ BABSON, born in San Francisco, Cal., about 1896; married in Malden, July 6, 1925, DORIS LUELLA WEEKS, daughter of Philip C. and Susan A. (Cook) Weeks of Malden. They lived in Stoneham, 1928.

Child, born in Stoneham:

- 634—I. JEWELL¹², b. Apr. 11, 1928:

579

THOMAS EVERETT BABSON, born Aug. 2, 1895; married CATHERINE ELEANOR CAITHNESS, Sept. 10, 1921.

Children:

- I. MARCIA LEE BABSON, b. Aug. 11, 1922.
- II. JEAN LILIAS, b. Aug. 28, 1925.
- III. NANCY ADAMS, b. Nov. 30, 1932.

580

ELIZABETH BABSON, born June 11, 1898; married CARL EDWIN BOSCH, April 18, 1925.

Children (Twins):

- I. ROBERT E. } b. Feb. 22, 1926.
- II. BARBARA A. }
- III. JOHN ALBERT, b. Mar. 14, 1929.

581

WINIFRED BABSON, born Nov. 6, 1899; married CECIL STANLEY PLENINGER, Sept. 19, 1925.

Children:

- I. STANLEY BABSON PLENINGER, b. Sept. 6, 1926.
- II. ANN PLENINGER, b. April 11, 1930.

602

EDITH LOW¹¹ BABSON, born Dec. 6, 1903; married in Wellesley, Dec. 8, 1923, WINSLOW LEWIS WEBBER of Gloucester, Manager of Webber College, which was founded by Mrs. Grace K. Babson.

Children:

- I. ROGER BABSON, b. Nov. 17, 1924. }
- II. CAMILLA GRACE, b. April 6, 1927. } Born in Orlando, Florida.
- III. MICHAEL PARKHURST, b. Nov. 21, 1929. }
- IV. JUDITH KNIGHT, b. June 5, 1934. } Born in Newton, Mass.

603

HAROLD CLIFFORD¹¹ BABSON, born in Somerville, Dec. 2, 1899; married (1) in Boston, June 29, 1921, BERNICE E. LEGGE, daughter of Frank and Emily (Sproul) Legge, born in Boston about 1901. He married (2) in Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 8, 1927, MARION F. CHUTE, daughter of Theodore and Clara S. (Keating) Chute, born in Roxbury, about 1898. He was a chauffeur in Boston, in 1927.

Child, by second wife, born in Boston:

- 635—I. BARBARA GRACE¹², b. Dec. 11, 1927.

607

BERTRAM CLIFFORD¹¹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Aug. 31, 1882; married in Gloucester, June 8, 1904, KATHERINE E. ROGERS, daughter of John W. and Cecilia (Powers) Rogers, born in Gloucester about 1894.

Children, born in Gloucester:

636—I. HELEN ROGERS¹², b. July 2, 1905.

637—II. FLORENCE CATHERINE, b. Boston, Aug. 6, 1911; m. in Maynard, Nov. 1, 1927, Uno Albert Poikonen.

609

EMERY WHEELER¹¹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Dec. 13, 1892; married in Gloucester to RENA V. NELSON, daughter of John S. and Annie E. (Harriman) Nelson, born in Gloucester, about 1892.

Child, born in Gloucester:

638—I. EMILY W.¹², b. May 8, 1912; d. Apr. 2, 1928.

610

AUSTIN¹¹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Mar. 26, 1896; married in Gloucester, June 11, 1919, MARGARET J. HENRY, daughter of Joseph and Mary J. (Samson) Henry, born in Ireland, about 1895.

611

DAVID CHAMBERLAIN¹¹ BABSON, born in Rockport, May 25, 1899; married in Gloucester, Mar. 12, 1927, ANNIE ANGELINE LARVEY, daughter of Louis A. and Minnie A. (Newell) Larvey, born in North Monroe, N. H., about 1886.

612

CLINTON WEBSTER¹¹ BABSON, born in Douglas, Feb. 26, 1890; married in Northbridge, June 23, 1919, HIDVIG M. OLSEN, daughter of Olof and Maria (Sonison) Olsen, born in Broddheden Roda, Sweden, about 1890.

614

CLIFFORD BATES¹¹ BABSON, born in Cambridge, Aug. 14, 1889; married (1) in Boston, Dec. 11, 1916, VELMA (NILES) MAYO, daughter of Hosea and Elizabeth (Stuart) Niles, born in Rangeley, Me., about 1895. Another record calls her father James Niles, captain of the Lake Boat. She died in Berlin, Mar. 13, 1917, aged 22. He married (2) in Littleton, N. H., July 8, 1918, ELEANOR LOUISE MOZALL, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Ellen (Butler) Mozall, born in Littleton, about 1888. He was an electric welder

in the U. S. army, in 1918. No children recorded in New Hampshire.

615

GEORGE HENRY¹¹ BABSON, born in Berlin, N. H., Jan. 15, 1893; died there, Oct. 24, 1930, aged 37 years, 9 months, 9 days. He was married in Berlin to RUTH E. BOYD, born in Union, Me., about 1895. He was a pulp maker and a mill-man and died at 556 Champlain Street.

Children, born in Berlin:

639—I. GEORGE WALDO¹², b. Sept. 3, 1913.

640—II. BERTHA S., b. July 3, 1917.

616

DAVID¹¹ BABSON, born in Berlin, N. H., Feb. 5, 1895; married BESSIE WHEELER, daughter of Arthur E. and Lilla (Swan) Wheeler, born in Milan, N. H., Oct. 24, 1902; died in Berlin, Nov. 7, 1929.

621

RALPH WALDO¹¹ BABSON, born in Berlin, N. H., Mar. 8, 1905; he was called the ninth child, although I have found only eight. He married in Berlin, Sept. 26, 1925, ALFREDA DORIS ERICKSON, born in Berlin, about 1906. She was the daughter of Alfred and Gunhilda K. (Schrodier) Erickson. Her father was born in Finland and her mother in Norway. He was a carpenter and they lived on Second Avenue, in Berlin.

Child, born in Berlin:

641—I. MARION DORIS¹², b. Oct. 29, 1926.

625

DAVID FREDERICK¹¹ BABSON, born in Rockport, Nov. 27, 1897, married EMMA RIKERT, a native of New York, born about 1899. He is an executive of the Boy Scouts and they live in Cambridge.

Children, born in Cambridge:

642—I. DAVID FREDERICK, JR.¹², b. Oct. 19, 1923.

643—II. HELEN HALL, b. Dec. 25, 1927.

APPENDIX—UNTRACED BABSONS

FRANK BABSON, a mariner, by a wife ELIZABETH —, had born in Gloucester:

ELIZABETH C., b. July 8, 1855.

EMELINE BABSON, daughter of Samuel and Betsey, died in Gloucester, Feb. 14, 1878, unmarried, aged 70 years, born about 1808.

JAMES V. BABSON, born about 1800; married in Providence, R. I., June 8, 1823, SARAH C. MUNROE, of Boston. James V. Babson formerly of Providence, died in Boston, Jan. 23/27, 1826, aged 26 years. He was a type founder and lived in Williams Court, Boston, 1825.

Child, born in Boston:

1. GEORGE F., b. about 1825; m. (1) in Palmer, Nov. 25, 1851, MARTHA A. HARRIS, daughter of Henry H. and Catherine Harris, born in Pennsylvania about 1832. She d. in Adams, Aug. 3, 1856, aged 23y., 10m. He m. (2) in Adams, June 16, 1859, SARAH ANN CARD, dau. of James Card, b. in New Ashford, about 1837. Child, b. in Adams:
 1. ALICE A., b. Mar. 20, 1860.

THOMAS BABSON, of Gloucester and REBECCA, his wife, sell Thomas Babbit land and buildings in Gloucester, July 1, 1789. (*Essex County Deeds*, 151:36). There is no other deed of his on record. No birth, marriage or death of this man, his wife, or of any family in Gloucester has been found. No Thomas Babson is given as head of a family in New England, in 1790.

JONATHAN BABSON, enlisted in Capt. Samuel Leavitt's Company of Col. Theodore Atkinson's New Hampshire Regiment for the expedition to Canada, Mar. 25, 1759, and was paid £3:7s:6d. (*Potter's Military History of New Hampshire*, p. 224). He must have been born near 1740. No further record of him has been found in New England.

JOHN BABSON, and ANNA SHATTUCK were married in Boston, Apr. 17, 1830, by Rev. James D. Knowles, pastor of the Baldwin Place Baptist Church.

CHARLES L. BABSON, not traced, born in Brooklin, Me., Sept. —, 1840; married Nov. 7, 1866, GEORGIANNA A. HERRICK, daughter of Capt. Shadrach and Elizabeth (Griffin) Herrick, born in Brooklin, Me., Jan. 8, 1846. He served in Company K, 16th Maine Regiment in the Civil War and lost his right leg in the battle of Fredericksburg. From 1870 to 1885, he was keeper of the lighthouse on Pumpkin Island in Penobscot Bay.

Children:

- I. ERNEST, E., b. Aug. —, 1867.
- II. LIZZIE B., b. Jan. —, 1869.
- III. WILLIAM K., b. Apr. 18, 1872.
(*Herrick Genealogy*, 189).

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